

THE FIFTY FIFTH INSTITUTE

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B. Tietrick on "A Good Primary Teacher." A successful teacher is cheerful, must be a general, must be great in little things, must correlate busy work with regular school work, must not begin mechanics until he has found the equipment of the child when he enters school, must remember that interest is the kernel of successful primary teaching.

Section III. Supt. Coughlin spoke to the rural teachers on "Concrete Methods in Arithmetic," giving much practical advice. In the first place we must understand the language of the subject we undertake to teach. The greatest difficulty usually lies in what the words mean. Adjust knowledge to the grade and understanding of the child. To know when to add, subtract, multiply and divide must be known from the problem. Reaction must be upon ideas, upon things. Too frequently reaction is upon words, not ideas. Best results are obtained by focusing every effort on the language side of the question. The real trouble in calculus is on the language side not in calculation. The whole process of mathematics is to learn how to think, to see relations, to quicken the mind. There is nothing better to hold the minds of pupils right to a thought than mathematics. Teachers should create the habit of verifying. Blunders aid in progress. Never accept an authority that you can learn by rational demonstration.

Tuesday Afternoon.

The session opened with music after which Dr. Miller gave a talk on "The Teacher and the Flower," by comparing the type teacher with the botanists typical flower. The four qualifications of the type flower are:

- I. Perfect stem, pistils.
- II. Complete stem, pistils, calyx and corolla.
- III. Regular—organs of same kind are similar.
- IV. Symmetrical, same number of organs in each whorl.

The same adjectives apply to the teachers.

- I. Perfect in health and education.
- II. Complete in knowledge which must be clear, distinct, adequate, exhaustive.
- III. Regular.
- IV. Symmetrical.

Prof. Tietrick spoke on "The Teacher's Problem." Pupils come to the teacher deaf, blind, asleep and helpless. The teacher must make him resourceful and purposeful. It is not what the teacher says but what he is. The greatest legacy to a nation is its great men. Character is the poor man's count, the rich man's glory, God's currency on earth. The richest bequest is a spotless example. The teacher must be an example and a model. These facts were forcibly impressed upon the listeners. The teacher should be a good housekeeper in school so as to lead the children to have tidy and attractive homes. In order to be a good instructor two steps must be followed—awaken a desire for knowledge and present knowledge so as to apply it to proper conditions of mind. There can be no good results without a desire to know. Back of success is effort, back of effort, desire, back of desire is interest. Teachers must be rich in knowledge, happy, must love children and work, must possess sympathy and firmness, must be just, grateful for past and helpful for future.

Miss Emmert, of New Oxford, at this point rendered a solo in a sweet, well trained voice and kindly responded to an encore.

The theme of Dr. Coughlin's discourse was "The Revival of the Art of Teaching." The public's mind acts differently from what it did twenty years ago; then the cry was greater schools, now it is the great system of schools. Now we have specialists in every line of work. Our attention has been focused upon primary work and greater strides have been made here than elsewhere. Children should be taught to help themselves, every point in education should lead to this. There should be instilled in the children a love of home, country, pursuit of happiness, love of fellowman and of God. Institute adjourned at four o'clock.

Tuesday Evening.

The Walter Cluxton Company presented the musical comedy, in three acts, entitled "Her American Husband."

Wednesday Morning.

Devotional exercises consisted of a hymn by the Institute and the reading of the scripture and prayer by Rev. G. W. Sherrick. Ten minutes were given to singing after which Supt. Roth made a few announcements in connection with the Reading Course. The first instructive period was occupied by Dr. Miller on "John Brown's Body." The audience were taken to West Point where men get that marvelous power to command, from which institution the greatest men of the North and the South have come. The fall of 1859 there entered at the military academy a young man from New

York by the name of Henry Upton. Among the questions asked him were where had he received his preliminary education. His reply was "At Overland, Ohio, where the negro is allowed to attend school. I'm against the system of slavery. From that time on he was a marked boy, for at this school there were many southern boys, among them Wade Hampton Gibbs of S. C., who made derogatory and cutting remarks about Upton. The latter was told of what Gibbs had said and after receiving an acknowledgment from him of the truth of the statement asked Gibbs to meet him that evening after drill. This spread like wild fire, and in spite of the guards five or six hundred boys collected to witness the contest with bare fists, the first open contest between the north and south. Upton now sleeps in Arlington Cemetery, an honored soldier of the north, Gibbs one of the bravest of the south sleeps under the trees of his beloved country. The instructor then led his attentive listeners to Harper's Ferry to the time John Brown with twenty-two men six of whom were colored arrested and imprisoned the mayor, the railroad guard and influential citizens. On the 16th of Oct. 1859 under the name of Smith he had rented a farm in Maryland near Harper's Ferry and there by degrees had collected ammunition of war, getting it from different directions. He then seized the U. S. arsenal and thought the slaves would rally to his support, but in this he was disappointed. Though Brown had arrested the guard and held the B. & O. train yet someone got a message to Washington, and Robert E. Lee with a hundred men hurried down; Brown imprisoned himself in the arsenal, but was seized, taken to Richmond, tried and hanged. To show the influence of Brown's life the Institute was called on to sing "Glory, Glory Alleluiah" and "Battle Hymn of the Republic." In conclusion the speaker applied the song so that in imagination was heard the march of the army of the Potomac over the hills and valleys of Virginia. The point the speaker wished to make was that John Brown thinking himself an instrument in the hands of God was a hero not a fanatic.

"Thoroughness" was the subject of a practical instruction by Supt. Coughlin.

Art, including music and drawing contribute to the culture of the individual and the enjoyment of life. If our schools are not thorough, why are they not? Is the school thorough because the course of study is difficult, few are graduated, or the entrance examination are difficult? The great teacher brings the school into sympathy with this work. Organization must not be overlooked as it is a great part of the work in character building. This includes punctuality, order, system, care of property, requirement of tasks. The opportunity to excel, absolute equality, open expression all impress the child and lift him up to higher plains of living. The causes of lack of thoroughness are lack of preparation, lack of attention lack of assignment of definite tasks leading toward some definite end. Volunteer reciters hinder progress and concert recitations were condemned as humbugs.

The remainder of the morning was taken up in section work.

Supt. Tietrick speaking to section I, gave suggestions as to "How to Improve High School Teaching." High school teachers are the best educated teachers but produce the poorest results. Supt. Tietrick asked the teachers what their hinderances were in their work. One reply was that children enter the higher grades before they are properly prepared. Another, that it is hard to hold children, that they want to leave school and earn money. The question was then put "What are your hinderances in Teaching?" The answers given were: Not time enough; Not exposing before the class those who have failed in preparation; Defective english. The instructors urged the teachers to ask themselves questions and to find out in what the difficulty lay, then aim to rectify that fault. The High School will improve when teachers are held for better results, when they visit other High Schools, when they speak freely in conference with other teachers about their work, when they seek aid, when they come into relation with the home. It is the greatest harm to a child to force him into a High school before he is ready for it. Supt. Tietrick impressed upon the minds of the teachers to train the children how to study, how to use themselves, to do more teaching and less hearing of lessons, to save time, to add interest. High school teachers must possess great minds, great hearts and willing hands.

Section II. Dr. Miller addressed the rural teachers on "The Good Story—Its Place." The first short story writer of any consequence was Edgar Allan Poe. Since the days of Poe, men have been writing short stories to illustrate history. All stories are not fitted for school work. All persons of intelligence are influenced by the short story. Little children are interested in the story. Long's Animal Stories and stories of heroism were recommended, and the detective story was not condemned as it sometimes serves to build up patriotism, giving as an example the Murder in Rue Morgue.

Section III. The primary teachers were given some helpful suggestions in teaching numbers in the first and second grade. Supt. Coughlin advocates giving children busy work that is helpful to the child, not merely that which will keep him out of mischief. The speaker gave several examples of a properly conducted primary school.

Wednesday Afternoon.

Effective teaching by Supt. Tietrick occupied the first period. Like (Continued on page 3.)

Christmas Buying

Here's a truth applicable to the affairs of life in a number of ways:—

You Get What You Give Away
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There never was any Christmas Cheer invented or manufactured over any other prescription than by getting it through giving it away. In the giving of the Christmas Cheer comes the only real cheer that is worth while to the human.

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You can't get the full force and effect of giving Christmas Cheer unless you put your money where it should go—to your neighbors, the merchants of the home community. When all your efforts have been expended in the home community there comes the feeling of having been true to yourself and the home town and that all your efforts have been towards the fullest development of Christmas Cheer at home. Then there will seep into the soul the cheer you have been giving away.

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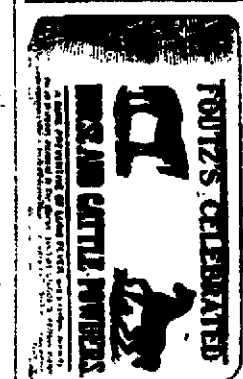
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black horse 16 years old, dun mare 13 yrs.
old, both work wherever hitched, good lead-
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biles, steam or trolley, a bay horse 12 yrs.
old, good off-side worker and driver, 11
head of CATTLE consisting of 5 head of
milk cows, 4 will be fresh in Feb. and Mar.
others in June and July, 4 heifers, 2 will
be fresh in Feb., and one 16 months old, 1
5 months old, all good stock and well im-
proved, large 16 years old, 15 lbs. and
weighing about 200 lbs. apiece, 180 chickens,
turkeys and guineas, also farming im-
plements, a good Acme wagon and bed 3 1/2
inch tread, spring wagon, road wagon, good
sawey and number one spread, Buckeye blin-
der in good order, Deering Ideal mower good
as new, horse rake, double and single corn
walkers, Hensch & Dromgold corn roller in
good order, spring tooth harrow, roller, Ho-
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a proposed alley, and on the west a public
alley, having a depth of 121 feet more or
less, and a width of 121 feet more or
less. This lot is improved with a
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or stream is your happy
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of these things you will
enjoy the

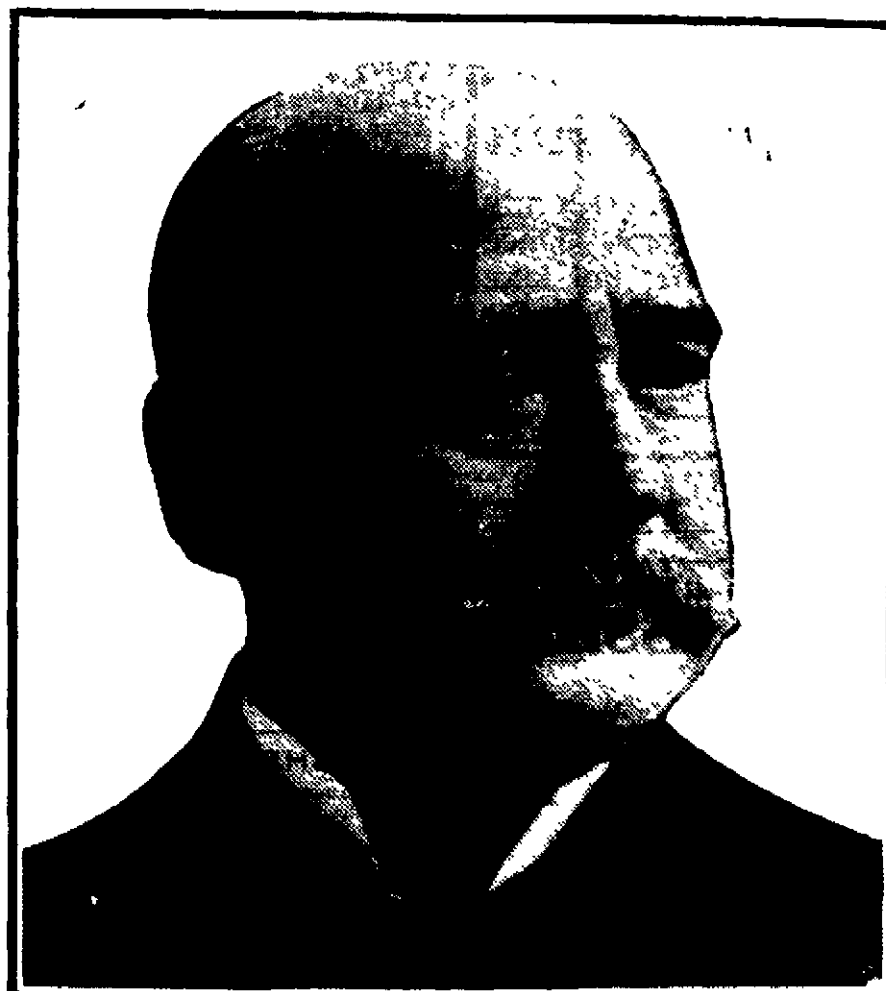
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fourteen he obtained a position as office boy in Leary's bookstore, Philadel-
phia. Governor Stuart always took a lively interest in politics. He served
two terms as president of the Republican State league, in 1888 and 1899. As
a candidate for presidential elector in the Blaine campaign of 1884 he had
the highest vote on the ticket. Four years afterward he was a delegate
to the national convention which nominated Benjamin Harrison. In 1891
he was elected mayor of Philadelphia by the largest majority ever given
mayorality candidate. He was elected governor in November, 1906.

THE FIFTY FIFTH INSTITUTE

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Gaul, teachers are divided into three
parts

1. The class anxious to comply
with the letter of requirements
2. Those anxious to do well by
children, and please the school author-
ities.

3. Those anxious to have the con-
sciousness of having done well. The
latter class are the effective teachers.

The great evil in teaching is aim-
less work. To be an effective teacher,
one must have purpose, which is the
secret of success. Here the speaker
drew the distinction between purpose
and spasm. The success of a school
is measured by the requirements of
the teacher. Teach children rather
than the subject. By illustration, it
was shown that discovering difficult-
ies is not teaching, and that once
teaching a difficulty does not fix it,
that bright pupils should not do all the
teaching.

Dr. Miller gave a delightful talk on
the "World's Greatest Pictures" giv-
ing a history and drawing a lesson
from each.

1. The Nightingale by Rembrandt.
2. The Anatomical Lesson by Rem-
brandt.
3. Descent from the Cross, De-
Votrie.
4. Immaculate Conception, Mur-
illo.

5. Aurora, Guido Reni.

6. Last Judgment, Michelangelo.

7. Communion of St. Jerome, Dom-
enichino.

8. Holy Night, Correggio.

9. Assumption of the Blessed Vir-
gin, Titian.

10. Sistine Madonna, Raphael.

11. Transfiguration, " "

12. Last Supper, Leonardo Vinci.

Miss Emmert of New Oxford, the
soloist of the week, delighted the
crowded house with a song, and was
forced to respond to an encore.

A practical talk on "Habits in Ed-
ucation" was given by the veteran
and sympathetic institute instructor,
Supt. Coughlin. Drawing a marked
line between psychology and peda-
gogy, he went on to speak of the re-
lation of habit to the training of chil-
dren. An act repeated becomes a
habit, habit perpetuated becomes
character. A distinction was made
between instruction and training.
The habits to be inculcated are, punc-
tuality, truthfulness, obedience, kind-
ness, persistent effort, and industry.

Wednesday Evening.

The Commonwealth Concert Com-
pany, male quartet, presented a pro-
gram of quartet selections, solos, read-
ings and selections upon bamboo
climbs, zolophones and musical
glasses, and their entertainment was
very much enjoyed by the audience.

Thursday Morning.

The hour for the reopening of the
Institute having arrived, Prof. Roth
called upon Prof. Gibson to lead in
singing a hymn. Rev. D. W. Woods
of the Presbyterian church read a por-
tion of St. Paul's epistle to the Ephe-
sians and recited the Lord's Prayer.
An exercise in vocal music followed,
then Supt. Coughlin spoke on "School
Discipline."

The common complaint against
teachers is lack of discipline. Govern-
ment includes force and executive
power; management pertains more
closely to discipline because it requires
attention to little things, hence per-
sonality here counts for a good deal.
Discipline includes government,
management and more. The person-
ality of the leader has its effect upon
minds of those lead. When discipline
becomes effective leadership can be

dispensed with. A person well dis-
ciplined controls himself under tempta-
tion. By apt illustrations the differ-
ence between discipline and govern-
ment were shown. Discipline pro-
duces certain effects upon the mind so
that it can be self directive. It is pos-
sible to acquire powers of leadership
by personal study. The secret of good
discipline is to meet matters before
they come, and in this one shows his
skill. Strong will is not sufficient for
good discipline unless coupled with
personality. Trifling and annoying
punishment should be eliminated.
The punishment should follow the
nature of the offense. Think out the
form of discipline to the end. There
is no excuse for physical punishment
except personal weakness. If an order
is once given it should never be for-
gotten. Rebellion against properly
constituted authority must be dealt
with with physical force, never other-
wise. Teachers should never nag.
Scholarship ranks first in qualification
for disciplinarian, next personality.
If a teacher lack scholarships he fails
to command respect of his pupils.
Personal power consists in broad and
varied mental accomplishments, sym-
pathy for child, a mind acting under
correct habits of thought, profound
sense of justice and with a tempera-
ment of noted veracity. To succeed
in discipline the teacher must study
the temperaments of his pupils. For
different temperament require differ-
ent treatment.

Supt. Teitrick speaking on the "Me-
chanics of Teaching" said: A good
school is a delight to a community,
there is then no question of home
study or responsiveness of pupils. One
important feature in conducting a
good school is the opening exercise, a
poem, lesson from Book of Proverbs,
or a biography as may fit the case.
The teachers were told that if they
feel the school has sort of gotten away
from them to go back and start right,
to exercise care in the way the class
moved. The central point was how
to get a full day's work out of each
pupil. It is not so much the teachers
work to assign lessons and to hear
them as it is to get work out of chil-
dren, to help the weak willed child to
work. Good sense defined as "the
knack of seeing things as they are and
doing things as they ought to be done"
must enter teaching. It is with the
so called incorrigible pupil that the
teacher can show his skill. The
speaker closed with the thought that
if you can train pupils to matters of
industry you will do more for them
than the parent who bequeaths him a
fortune.

At this point Prof. Gibson instruct-
ed the teachers on how to teach sing-
ing without a musical instrument

Supt. Roth announced that as the
size of Xavier hall was inadequate to
the size of the crowd, the court house
would be open to the overflow, and
the same instruction would be heard
there.

Prof. Burgoon would preside, and
Mr. H. W. Swartz of Union township,
would lead the singing.

Dr. Miller spoke at some length
upon "The Greatness of London,"
tracing his journey from New York
in a four days boat to Liverpool,
where he lingered a short time, to
Chester, here describing and com-
menting upon the durability of the
great Roman wall of cement, con-
structed 2000 years ago, to London
and Oxford, the university of fifty-
two colleges. Time did not permit
the lecturer to do more than speak
of the main elements of this great city.
Step by step he constructed a mental
concept of its size, its safety in every
way, and spoke of the Thames, 900 ft.
wide at London, three miles in width
at the mouth. London bridge so well
known in history and verse was not
forgotten.

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Thursday Afternoon

The first number on the program
was "My Boy's Teacher," by Supt.
Lietrick. By my boy the speaker
meant a real boy. There are two val-
uable possessions for the boy, knowl-
edge and skill. It is the teacher who
should give them these, the parents
are otherwise engaged, but they by
their sympathy mean much to the
teacher and the school. The teacher
must be energetic, full of red blood,
vigor, and vim. A teacher is bound
to win if he makes a determined effort
to be better than any other teacher in
the district. Longfellow being asked
how he preserved the bloom of youth,
replied, that the blossom is from new
wood, and that he managed to grow a
little new wood each year. So it is
with the teacher, he must grow some
new wood each year. One other ele-
ment the teacher must possess is
sympathy. In a feeling manner the
instructor emphasized the point that
the teacher should be constantly en-
riched by the best moral and intelli-
gent food available, that it is not half
so much what the teacher says as
what he is, that he should be all he
would want his pupils to be.

Supt. Coughlin's talk on "Mistakes
in Teaching" could not fail to be of
great assistance to the teachers.
Among the mistakes made are the
failure to distinguish fairly and just-
ly between means and ends. The
end of education is complete human
development, but the teacher must
determine what that means. It must
be borne in mind that it is the effort
put forth that leaves its influence,
not the accumulation of facts. Habits
of self respect, cleanliness, good man-
ners, entering into the life of the in-
dividual, mean more than the accumu-
lation of facts. We cannot afford to
neglect moral training or physical
culture. It is the teachers duty to
discover special gifts in pupils and
cultivate them, to distinguish between
uniformity and unity, the former
means life, and the latter death. The
teacher must observe carefully, infer
cautiously, express copiously, must
never make up in instruction what
should be done in preparation. The
instructors urged the teachers not to
work themselves or their pupils too
hard, to conserve force, to take care
of their nervous system, and not to
censure trifling errors severely.

After Miss Emmert had charmed
the large audience with the music of
her voice, Dr. Miller delivered a lec-
ture on "Napoleon—the Man of Des-
tiny," perhaps the best of the week,
though time permitted the speaker to
touch only upon the highlights in the life
of this great man. He traced his
hero's career from boyhood to the time
of the French Revolution, when he was
living in poverty studying human na-
ture, to his suppression of the mob
after the revolution which led to his
being given command of the French
army in Italy. Napoleon's motto was
"Time is everything." He always
wanted less time than his adversary
and that is why in so many cases he
succeeded. In four months' time he
whipped four armies in Austria and
sent home to Paris 50,000,000 francs.
After conquering Austria and Italy he
recrossed the Alps to Paris, then back
again to Egypt where in the battle of
the Nile Nelson annihilated his fleet.
After getting control of Egypt, having
picked up on the shore a two
months' old newspaper, seeing that a
revolution was raging in Paris, he
again returns. He finds the directory
overthrown, and being appointed one
of three consulates, begins to build up
waste places, and joins the first insti-
tute for the purpose of the study of
art and beauty.

When the question of life consulate
for Napoleon is brought up out of
7,000,000 votes only 300 voted "no."

In May 3, 1804, he is made emperor,
and Dec. 7, 1805, crowned in the pres-
ence of his mother and Josephine. The
Holy Father having been invited to
Paris for the occasion, is about to place
the crown upon Napoleon's head when
the emperor takes it from him and
places it there himself, then crowns
Josephine queen.

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WEDNESDAY, DEC. 8, 1909

WM. ARCH McCLEAN, Editor.

—Mrs. D. Hartman of Littlestown, spent a short time here last week.
—Miss Grace Bream of Carlisle was a recent guest of her grandmother Mrs. H. Meale, York St.
—Mrs. Jacob Thomas visited friends in York last week.

—Mrs. M. Eyster and Mrs. Carey of Baltimore spent last week here with Mr. and Mrs. John Lipsey.
—Rev. Stanley Billheimer of York Springs spent part of last week here with Dr. and Mrs. T. C. Billheimer.
—Rev. George Parker, and Rev. Victor Roland of Seminary and Miss Georgia Slagle of Hampton and Miss Alice Meekley of Hildersburg, were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank March, New Chester.

—I. B. Kuhn of McSherrystown is looking well, having recovered from a recent illness, was a visitor last week.
—The Y. W. C. T. U. will meet with Miss Jennie Montfort, Thursday evening at 7 o'clock.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Weaver, will entertain Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Koser of Biglerville at dinner Thursday evening.

—Mrs. Lomax gave a bridge party on Tuesday afternoon, at her home on Carlisle street.

—Miss Fannie Bell and niece, Miss Mary Bell of Huntersdown, were recent guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Dickson.

—Miss Elizabeth Gitt of Hanover.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

In pursuance of a writ of fieri facias, issuing out of the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County, and to me directed, will be exposed to public sale on Thursday the 24th day of December, 1909, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, at the Court house in the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams County, Penna. the following viz:

A property situate on West Middle Street in the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams County, Pa. fronting 45 feet on West Middle Street and running back 160 feet to a public alley, improved with a two story cement house, chicken house, and hog pen. Adjoining on the east property of Miss Jennie Sharrah and on the west property of Thad Warren.

Seized and taken into execution as the property of Annie K. Galbraith and Jos. T. Gitt.

ELIAS FISSEL, Sheriff.
Ten per cent. of the purchase money upon all sales by the sheriff must be paid over immediately after the property is struck down or, upon failure to comply therewith, the property will be put again for sale.
Sheriff's Office, Gettysburg, Pa., Nov. 27th, 1909.

was a recent visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Dickson.

—Dr. Alex O'Neal, has located at Wayne, Pa., where he will practice medicine.

—Mrs. Clara Menchey of Altoona, is visiting relatives here.

SOLID GOLD Signet rings, Signet Brooch pins and Scarf pins, make nice Christmas presents. Come early give us time to do fine engraving.
C. A. BLOCHER, Jeweler.

LICENSE NOTICE.

In the Court of Quarter Sessions of Adams County.
It is ordered that all applications for licenses for the sale of wines, spirituous, malt or brewed liquors, wholesale or retail, for the year 1910, will be heard on FRIDAY, the 14th day of JANUARY, 1910, at 10:30 a. m., at which time all persons applying or making objections to applications, will be heard by evidence, petition, remonstrance or counsel. There must be no communication at any time with the judges personally upon the subject, by letter or any other private way.

The petition verified by affidavit of applicant, shall be in conformity with the requirements of the Acts of Assembly. Judgment bond shall be executed in the penal sum of \$2000, with no less than two reputable freeholders of the county where the liquors are to be sold, as sureties, each of them to be a bona fide owner of real estate in the said county, worth over and all incumbrances the sum of \$2000 or other legal security to be given. Bond conditioned for the faithful observance of all the laws relating to the selling or furnishing of liquors, and to pay all damages which shall be recovered against the licensee, and all costs, fines and penalties, which may be imposed on him under any indictment for violating said laws; and the sureties may be required to appear in Court and justify upon oath.

The Court shall in all cases refuse the application whenever in the opinion of the Court, having due regard to the number and character of the petitioners for and against such applications, such license is not necessary for the accommodation of the public and entertainment of strangers and travelers, or that the applicant is not a fit person, to whom such license should be granted.

Petitions to be filed with the Clerk of the Court not later than SATURDAY the 18th day of DECEMBER, 1909. Objections and remonstrances to be filed not later than TUESDAY, the 4th day of JANUARY, 1910.

Upon sufficient cause being shown or proof being made to the Court that the party holding a license has violated any law of the Commonwealth relating to the sale of liquors, the Court shall, upon notice being given to the person licensed, revoke the license.

S. MCC SWOFF, Pres Judge

Attest J. I. THOMAS, Clerk of S.

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Our line for this Christmas exceeds that of all previous years

California Oranges
Tangerines
Grapefruit
English Walnuts
Butternuts
Pecans

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Malaga Grapes
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Hazelnuts
Bananas

Confections

Pure Italian Olive Oil

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Christmas Photographs

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New Style Mounts

Historic Views of Gettysburg would make a very acceptable present to a distant friend.

Mail orders receive prompt attention.

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A full line always at hand at popular prices.

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The Gift Maker's Opportunity

Come and look at our Holiday Goods. They have the merit—they will please you. Do not fail to see our

Splendid Assortment

And take advantage of inducements offered. Full of neat and attractive novelties in the Jewelry Line.

C. A. Blocher, Jeweler,

Center Sq.

The Christmas Shopper

The Christmas Shopper is in town, and is coming to town every day. The natural point at which to begin the shopping is the Center Square and there every road or point or view leads to the **Leading Clothing and Furnishing Store** at which to do the shopping and that's **Davis & Co.**

If the shopper happens to be the head of the family and he is looking for a Suit in which to deck himself as the holidays draw near and inquires where he can get the finest tailor-made suit or the best ready-made suit, he will be told to go to **Davis & Co.**

If the shopper is a young man looking for a **Stylish Suit or Nobby Overcoat** in which he will look "smart" in the eyes of his best girl and don't know where to go he will be told to go to **Davis & Co.**

If the shopper is the mother of the family looking for **Suits, Overcoats, Trousers, Hats, Caps and Shoes** for young America she won't wait to be told where to go but will make a straight line for **Davis & Co.**

If the big sister, slipping away from her folks, is after something for a particular friend, a silk muffler, box of handkerchiefs, a pretty tie or other suitable articles, asks where to go she will be sent to **Davis & Co.**

The young members of the family wanting **Warm Clothing** for the cold walk to school, the **Overcoat, Cap, Mittens and Boots** for skating and sledding, they know where to hang around hoping the older people will see what they want and get them. It's at **Davis & Co.**

Shop where the whole family will find Xmas Suggestions.

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Title Postmastership.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces that on Saturday, Jan. 8, an examination will be held at Gettysburg, Pa., for the position of fourth class postmaster of class (b) at Tillie, Pennsylvania. The compensation of the postmaster at this office was \$251 for the last fiscal year. Age limit, 21 years and over on the date of the examination. Applicants must reside within the territory supplied by the post office named above. The examination is open to all citizens of the United States who can comply with the requirements. Application forms and full information concerning the requirements of the examination can be secured from the postmaster at Tillie and the Local Secretary at the Gettysburg post office or from the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C. Applications should be properly executed and filed with the Commission at Washington withing days before the date of the examination, otherwise it may be impracticable to examine the applicants.

—Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Bumbaugh and family have returned to their home here after a summer at Atlantic City.

NOTICE.

To the members of the Menallen Monthly Meeting of Friends:
Whereas, on the 6th day of December, 1909, the Trustees of the Menallen Monthly Meeting of Friends, presented their petition to the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County, setting forth that said Menallen Monthly Meeting of Friends is the owner of a tract of land in Butler township, Adams County, Pa., containing 22 acres and 18 perches, which has been abandoned by said Society as place of worship, and praying for an order of sale of said tract of land at private sale to the purchasers and at the prices recited in said petition.
Whereupon said Court fixed the 3rd day of January, 1910, at 10 o'clock, a. m., for the purpose of hearing said petition and directed a citation to issue directed to all persons in being who have not appeared, who shall have any present or expectant interest in the premises, commanding them to appear at said time and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.
You are, therefore, notified to appear in said Court on the 3rd day of January, 1910, at 10 o'clock, a. m., and show cause, if any of you have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted. By order of said Court.
W. A. TAUGHINBAUGH
Prothonotary

AUDITORS NOTICE.

I, H. undersigned auditor appointed by the Orphans Court of Adams County to make distribution of the estate of Samuel B. Wiest, dec'd late of East Berlin Borough, Adams Co., Pa., as shown by the first and final account of Daniel L. Wiest and Alexander H. Hubley, executors of the last will and testament of Samuel B. Wiest, dec'd do and among the parties entitled thereto, will sit at his office in Gettysburg to discharge the duties of his appointment on Thursday, Jan. 10, 1910 at 10 o'clock a. m., when and where all parties interested are notified to attend.
J. L. HILL
Auditor

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Why Not Add the Cheer of Music to the Household this Season by buying a Piano?

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Christmas Sale--'09

Boys' Clothing

\$7 and \$8 Suits and Overcoats. High grade fabrics and good styles. Russian, Sailor, Knickerbocker and double-breasted suits. Full length overcoats in gray, brown mixture, blue and olive mixture, 3 to 16 years. Regular \$7.00 and \$8.00 values. Special \$4.98

Corduroy Pants

Men's regular \$2.00 kind. Sale \$1.29
Fine Linen Cord, peg tops, lined and unlined, light and dark shades. Regular \$3.00, Sale \$1.98
Very best quality linen cord, worth \$3.50 to \$4.00. Sale \$2.49

Suspenders

Big line of fine suspenders from 7c to 50c.

Now for the Holidays

With the passing of Thanksgiving our thoughts turn toward that great gift giving day—Christmas—which is near at hand. We've been preparing for the Holiday trade for weeks, brought the best here for you to select from, useful articles at prices that are sure to tempt you. No trouble finding just what you want at just the price. Never have selections been more beautiful. We urge early buying, the stocks are at their best now, and many of the finest fan-

Hats, Caps, Neckwear

We have a big line of hats, caps and neckwear, latest styles at moderate prices.

Hosiery and Underwear

We have a hundred special bargains in our Men's Furnishing section that we have not room to mention in this advertisement. Natural gray or jaeger color, well made, heavy fleece lined, regular 50c. kind. Sale 37 1-2c.

Half Hose

3 pairs for 25c. Men's regular made half hose. Soft maco yarn, fast colors, spliced heels and toes, elastic tops and seamless feet, sizes 9 1-2 to 11. Regularly sold at 2 prs. for 25c. Special now 3 prs. for 25c.

cies cannot be duplicated. For a Man or a Boy's Present buy what he is going to buy for himself. Buy it where he buys—at a man's store. Come and see our Christmas Haberdashery.

CLOTHING

Men's Cravenette Raincoats.

Men's Cravenette Rain Coats, \$12 to \$14 values at \$8.75
Genuine Cravenette Rain Coats in neat dark grays. Top of body lined with fine serge lining. Cut 52 in. long.
\$15 Men's and Young Men's Suits and Overcoats at \$9.75

Boys' Clothing

Knickerbocker pants and suits. The suits are all wool chevots, in all latest shades, olive, brown, blue and green, seams double sewed and taped, last winter models, 7 to 16 years. Regular \$6.00 to \$7.00. Special \$3.98
Regular \$3.50 Boys' Overcoats \$2.49
Sizes from 3 to 9 in blue and brown. Special at \$2.49

Here's a Bargain

A manufacturer sold us one hundred Men's All Wool Black Cheviot Suits. Selling price \$7.50 to \$10.00. Special \$5.00
Overcoats lined throughout with Venetian, sizes 34 to 42. These garments were made up to sell for \$7.50 to \$10.00. While they last, your choice for \$5.00

\$20.00 Men's Overcoat \$12.95

Fine Black Kersey, cut 44 inches long, silk velvet collars, full satin linings, finely tailored. Made to sell at \$20. Special at \$12.95

Overcoats

The new style Overcoats in fancy Cheviots, cut in the newest models, sizes 34 to 40. Good \$15 values. Special at \$9.75

Shoes and Rubbers

That means extraordinary bargains. \$3.50 and \$3.00 Women's Shoes at \$1.98
A special purchase from a leading maker. All new desirable lasts, lace, button and Blucher styles. In Gun Metal, Calf, Box Calf and Tan Russian Calf. Medium and heavier weight soles; high Cuban and regular heels. Sizes from 3 to 8.

\$1.75 Boy's Shoes at \$1.19

Box, Satin Calf and Gun Metal Calf, Blucher and regular lace. Big and little boys' sizes, 9 to 5 1-2. Regular price \$1.50 and \$1.75. Special here at \$1.19

SPECIALS IN SWEATERS

The most popular Coat Styles with or without pockets for very little money. Men's \$2.50 Coat Sweaters for \$1.98. Can be worn by women too. They are the manly coat style, with or without pockets; colors are white and red, white and green, white and blue, gray and red, gray and blue, gray and white, gray and green, white and solid gray; sizes from 36 to 44, worth \$2.50. Special at \$1.98
\$4.50 Heavy Weight Coat Sweaters for \$2.48
These are all wool Coat Sweaters with pockets; red, gray, white, gray and blue, gray and red, and blue; sizes 36 to 48, worth \$4.50. Special at \$3.48
Children's all wool Coat Sweaters, two pockets, red, white, gray, gray and red; sizes 24 to 34. Special at 98c.
Men's and Boys' 75c. Sweaters at 45c.

Women's Rubbers

50c. and 60c. values. Special 39c.
Good, well known makes, storm and long cut to fit all shoes. Special at 39c.
First quality, guaranteed Rubbers, worth 75c and 80c. Special 60c.

Men and Boy's \$1 lined Gloves

Men's genuine \$1 Mocha Gloves, Fleece lined, soft fleece lining 50c.
Boy's Dog Skin, heavy Mocha and Kid Gloves, heavy fleece lined, at 50c.
Better grade of gloves from 50c. to \$3.00.

Men's Rubbers at 59 cts.

Storm and self-acting Fleece or Fusion lined, sizes 5 to 11; 75c. and 90c. ones at 59c.
First quality extra heavy rolled edge, guaranteed Rubber. Regular \$1.25 kind at 89c.

\$1.75 Women's Shoes \$1.19

Clearance of a maker's overstock. New Lace and Blucher styles in Vici Kid and Dongola. Sizes from 3 to 8. Special bargains at \$1.19

\$1.75 Girl's Shoes, \$1.19

Of Box Calf and Dongola, Blucher and regular Lace. Spring and half heels. Sizes 8 1-2 to 2. Special \$1.19

\$1.50 Umbrellas at 89 cts.

Women's and Men's 26 in., fine Mercerized Gloria Umbrellas, self-openers, covers guaranteed rainproof at 89c.

Children's White Wool Drawer Leggings, 50 cent value, Special 39 cents

We do not invite you to our store with deceptive descriptions, false values, nor mislead you by giving a queer name as a mask. Everything is sold on its merits. The reputation and backing of this house go with every sale. Your money back for the asking.

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ALL OVER THE COUNTY

FAIRFIELD AND BUCHANAN VALLEY NEWS.

Buchanan Valley was Visited by Large Number of Deer Hunters.

WITH THE DEERHUNTERS.

Buchanan Valley, November 9.—Joseph McKenrick of Edenburg, and brother Samuel McKenrick of Clearfield, Pa., sons of Charles McKenrick deceased have come back to their native county to hunt deer. They were born and raised in Buchanan Valley. On Monday, Nov. 23, they spent trying to secure a large buck on the ground they hunted upon when young men, and they had the pleasure of the company of those who had hunted with them in those days. Their brother George of Altoona is also with them in the Kane Camp, but he has been here later, and has been a member of that camp for some years.

John Mickle of Cashtown a prominent hunter of this county, shot and wounded a fine large buck, at Cairn's Run, wounding him severely in the left hind leg at the second joint, but he got away, and the men searched all day, and the next day, but did not find him. Later in the day some members of the Monterey Club found him. He came down toward John F. Cole's residence, and followed the run for awhile, and through the old dam crossing into the cornfield. Your correspondent being attracted by a shot from a rifle, saw him coming slowly down over the field, a grand large buck, he turned and went toward the timber the next day he was found.

William Becker from near Abbottstown, and his son Daniel wife and two children of Hanover, Pa., Amos Wingert and son Emory of New Oxford, visited at the home of Mrs. Julia Wingert during hunting season for deer.

Daniel Schall of York, Pa. spent a week at Jacob J. Kohl's for the purpose of hunting for deer on the mountains.

Thanksgiving Day was generally observed by the men in hunting for deer and rabbit.

There was a dance at Allen Karn's home on Wednesday evening for the Kane Hunting Club. Gentlemen and ladies of the Valley also attended.

William Brinkerhoff was a visitor to the Valley on Sunday.

The McKenrick brothers members of the Kane Hunting Club, left on Saturday for their respective homes. Well pleased to be among their old friends on the hunting grounds and enjoying their company in the camp. There was quite a reunion of cousins on Tuesday night, Nov. 23, as invited guests, Jacob J. Kohl, and sons Fleming and Thomas who spent the night in pleasant conversation and the enjoyment of camp life. They had not met for a number of years and there was much to relate, and inquire about, and many reminiscences to be recalled of their younger days when they enjoyed life in Buchanan Valley.

S. C. S.

A MEN infested with lice, will, in one day waste vitality sufficient for production of several eggs. This is why the egg season is so often cut short. Your hens need not be in this condition. Sold under written guarantee by Lower Bros., Table Rock, and J. M. Musselman, Fairfield.

LUTHERAN PASTOR MOVES

FAIRFIELD, Nov. 20th.—Rev. C. L. Ritter is packing his household goods preparatory to moving to Wheeling, W. Va., where he has received a call to the Lutheran church in that place. He will have public sale of much of his goods on Dec. 14th, and will move on the 15th for his new home.

Rev. E. W. Stonebraker was in attendance at the Laymen's Missionary Convention held in Harrisburg last week.

Rev. Dalzell of the Presbyterian church, together with his wife has gone to Pittsburg, where they have been called because of the illness of his wife's sister.

Rev. Dr. Billheimer of the Theological Seminary occupied the pulpit of the Lower Marsh Creek church last Sunday in the absence of the pastor Rev. Dalzell.

Dr. N. C. Trout's brother-in-law and his wife from McConnellsburg, Fulton Co., paid him a visit over last Sunday.

Daniel Sanders and wife, have moved to the country in the tenant house on the Welly farm, owned now by his son.

Percy Polley shipped a car load of hogs from Fairfield station on last Saturday.

Mrs. G. M. Neely and son were visiting at Emmitsburg last week.

The Commissioners were here last week to receive the new concrete bridge off the hands of the contractor. It was not yet sufficiently completed to suit them, and that ceremony was delayed. It is now about completed, and the township supervisor is busy putting in the required fill.

Dr. Ellis Musselman, our popular dentist, will in the near future move to Gettysburg to continue the practice of his profession. We are sorry to lose him.

UNO.

FOLEY'S Honey and Tar is the best and safest cough remedy for children. At the first symptoms of a cold, give as directed, and ward off danger of croup, bronchitis, sore throat, cold in the head and stuffy breathing. It brings comfort and ease to the little ones. Contains no opiates or other harmful drugs. Keep always on hand and refuse substitutes. Peoples drug store.

A FAMOUS HEALTH BUILDER

A medicine that will cleanse the bowels and put them in condition to do their proper work unaided will do more than anything else to preserve health and strength. Such a medicine is the tonic laxative herb tea, Lane's Family Medicine. Get a 25c. package today at any druggist's or dealer's. No matter what you have tried before, try this famous herb tea.

THE East Berlin News says: If the young men in East Berlin and vicinity, keep on going to the cities there will not be enough left to have a respectable kissing party in this locality.

FAIRFIELD'S Blood Tonic and Egg Producer makes hens lay better, causes young chicks to mature earlier and old fowls to fatten quicker, by perfecting digestion and enabling fowls to secure the full amount of nourishment from their food. Ask for Fairfield's New Poultry Book. Sold under written guarantee by Lower Bros., Table Rock, and J. M. Musselman, Fairfield.

AMOS GOCHENOUR, the New Oxford mail driver, found clover blooming on the farm of Haines B. Dicks at Round Hill.

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For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

HARVEY RAFFENSPERGER of Arendtsville, was hunting rabbits when his dog in a playful manner ran against him. He tripped and fell breaking his left arm at the wrist.

For Eczema, Tetter and Salt Rheum.

The intense itching characteristic of these ailments is almost instantly allayed by Chamberlain's Salve. Many severe cases have been cured by it. For sale by The Peoples Drug Store.

A YORK party is placing an electric light plant in the building at the New Oxford Shoe Factory, formerly Emert's.

A sprained ankle will usually disable the injured person for three or four weeks. This is due to lack of proper treatment. When Chamberlain's Liniment is applied a cure may be effected in three or four days. This liniment is one of the best and most remarkable preparations in use. Sold by The Peoples Drug Store.

D. F. SLENTZ, the New Oxford grocer, has had a gasoline light plant installed for the illuminating of his store and dwelling.

HORSES contract diseases more readily at this season than at any other times. Keep your horse in condition during the winter by the regular use of Fairfield's Blood Tonic for Horses Only. It purifies the blood by acting directly upon the digestive organs, and eliminating all poisonous wastes. Sold under written guarantee by Lower Bros., Table Rock, and J. M. Musselman, Fairfield.

FOR any pain, from top to toe, from any cause, apply Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Pain can't stay where it is used.

MR. AND MRS. DANIEL DEATRICK of York Springs recently celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary in an appropriate manner.

MANY persons find themselves affected with a persistent cough after an attack of influenza. As this cough can be promptly cured by the use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, it should not be allowed to run on until it becomes troublesome. Sold by The Peoples Drug Store.

HOWARD SPANGLER of Straban township has a horse suffering from a fracture of the right hind pastern. The injury was caused by a wagon pushing upon the animal while descending a hill.

A Policeman's Testimony

J. N. Paterson, night policeman of Nashua, Iowa, writes: "Last winter I had a bad cold on my lungs and tried at least half a dozen advertised cough medicines and had treatment from two physicians without getting any benefit. A friend recommended Foley's Honey and Tar and two-thirds of a bottle cured me. I consider it the greatest cough and lung medicine in the world." Peoples drug store.

FOWLS afflicted with Roup seldom eat, but will always drink. Fairfield's Roup Remedy is a liquid given in the drinking water. For this reason fowls are sure to receive it. It has saved the lives of thousands of birds, and a 4oz. bottle costs but 25 cents. Sold under written guarantee by Lower Bros., Table Rock, and J. M. Musselman, Fairfield.

THE greatest danger from influenza is of its resulting in pneumonia. This can be obviated by using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, as it not only cures influenza, but counteracts any tendency of the disease towards pneumonia. For sale by The Peoples Drug Store.

LESTER, the 8-year-old son of A. W. Chronister, of Huntington township, was taken to the Todd Hospital, Carlisle, and an operation performed for appendicitis.

CASTORIA.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

FRANK PHILLIPS, of Tyrone township, lost a good mule by death.

PARKER'S HAIR BALM

Gentle and beautiful. The hair grows and beautifies the face. Never fails to remove gray hair. Use it on the scalp and hair.

Eggs multiply as though by magic when Fairfield's Egg Producer for Poultry Only is fed. The magic in this case consists in supplying the hen with the elements needed for egg production and no others. This can only be done by having a compound prepared especially for poultry. Sold under written guarantee by Lower Bros., Table Rock, and J. M. Musselman, Fairfield.

THE 5-year-old son of Samuel Wine, of Bell's Station, fell into a tub of hot water and severely scalded one of his legs from the foot to the thigh.

MRS. JOSEPH BARKER, of Littlestown, has reached the 96th milestone in her life journey. Mrs. Barker is enjoying the best of health and is in possession of all her faculties.

If you are suffering from biliousness, constipation, indigestion, chronic headache, invest one cent in a postal card, send to Chamberlain Medicine Co., Des Moines, Iowa, with your name and address plainly on the back, and they will forward you a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Sold by The Peoples Drug Store.

MRS. PIUS REYNOLDS, of near East Berlin, has been taken to Johns Hopkins Hospital where she underwent an operation.

Looking One's Best.

It's a woman's delight to look her best but pimples, skin eruptions, sores and boils rob life of joy. Listen! Buckley's Arica Salve cures them; makes the skin soft and velvety. It glorifies the face. Cures Pimples, Sore Eyes, Cold Sores, Cracked Lips, Chapped Hands. Try it. Infalible for Piles. 25c at Peoples Drug Store.

DR. G. E. SPOTZ, of Hampton, recently performed an operation for the removal of a cancerous growth from the face of Mrs. Harry Smick of Idaville. The operation was a success.

CASTORIA.

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WILLIAM SIPE a former resident of Huntington township had his leg crushed in a terrible manner in runaway of a four horse team between Holly and Carlisle.

ITCHING, bleeding, protruding or blind piles yield to Doan's Ointment. Chronic cases soon relieved, finally cured. Druggists all sell it.

A LAMP in home of Jos. J. Smith of Irletstown started on a rampage and was hurled through a window by member of family before it exploded.

FOLEY'S Orino Laxative is best for women and children. Its mild action and pleasant taste make it preferable to violent purgatives, such as pills, tablets, etc. Cures constipation. Peoples drug store.

REAR and whiskey bottles were thrown through the glass in the sliding door of new Lutheran Chapel at Smithsburg, Md., because the pastor Rev. Ferdinand Heise had been preaching local option sermons.

MRS. S. JOYCE, Claremont, N. H., writes: "About a year ago I bought two bottles of Foley's Kidney Remedy. It cured me of a severe case of kidney trouble of several years standing. It certainly is a grand, good medicine, and I heartily recommend it." Peoples drug store.

Two hunters shooting at rabbits are said to have set fire to dry grass in Pigeon Hills and before blaze could be controlled had burned over 200 acres of wood and sprout land.

FIFTY cent butter before New Years is predicted by the leading dairymen. Fairfield's Blood Tonic and Milk Producer for Cattle Only, increases the butter-fat in milk and increases the milk production. Ask for Fairfield's Free Book on Stock. Sold under written guarantee by Lower Bros., Table Rock, and J. M. Musselman, Fairfield.

THE chopping stone in Gobrecht's mill, near Abbottstown, exploded and threw the miller 15 feet, but he was not seriously injured. Windows were mashed and mill machinery damaged.

Alone in Saw Mill at Midnight.

unmindful of dampness, drafts, storms or cold, W. J. Atkins worked as Night Watchman, at Banner Springs, Tenn. Such exposure gave him a severe cold that settled on his lungs. At last he had to give up work. He tried many remedies but all failed till he used Dr. King's New Discovery. "After using one bottle" he writes, "I went back to work as well ever." Severe Colds, stubborn Coughs, inflamed throats and sore lungs, Hemorrhages, Croup and Whooping Cough get quick relief and prompt cure from this glorious medicine. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free, guaranteed by Peoples Drug Store.

AFTER being thoroughly renovated and repainted the M. E. church of Bendersville was reopened on a recent Sunday morning, Rev. Dr. Black, of Carlisle, preaching, having been his first charge 37 years ago.

DOAN'S Regulents cure constipation without griping, nausea, or any weakening effect. Ask your druggist for them. 25 cents per box.

A LARGE fancy lamp in home of Dr. J. J. Snyder of New Oxford without any signs of trouble suddenly exploded. The members of family smothered out with rugs the flames started by the scattered oil.

WORMS and indigestion invariably cause your horse to be nervous and throw his head from side to side continually. Fairfield's Blood Tonic for Horses Only, fed regularly, perfects digestion, removes worms and cures most causes of nervousness. Ask for Fairfield's Free Book on Horse. Sold under written guarantee by Lower Bros., Table Rock, and J. M. Musselman, Fairfield.

DON'T - DRINK - DOUBTFUL - MILK

Be on the Safe Side and Start today with

GETTYSBURG ICE & STORAGE COMPANY

SCIENTIFICALLY PASTEURIZED MILK

An un-pasteurized milk is of DOUBTFUL PURITY, to say the least.

It costs money to properly pasteurize milk. Some dealers don't want to spend that money for their customers' protection.

The Gettysburg Ice & Storage Dairy spends it cheerfully—in its own interest and in yours.

Pasteurizing milk does not alter its quality—does not influence its richness—does not lessen its food value and digestibility.

Pasteurizing milk simply insures its purity. All milk is daily inspected upon arrival at the distributing plant and must be up to the Gettysburg Ice and Storage Company standard of richness, cleanliness, and perfect chemical constituents. It is passed through a scientific pasteurizer (we have the most perfect pasteurizer outside of Philadelphia) and then bottled direct from the pasteurizing tank and capped—making it germ proof upon delivery to the customer.

Gettysburg Ice and Storage Milk is sold only in bottles and every bottle is twice scoured, jetted with boiling water four times and steamed by a specially constructed apparatus before filling.

Gettysburg Ice and Storage Milk sells for 6 cts. a quart. Buying it means health, protection for family and yourself.

Gettysburg Ice & Storage Company

BOTH TELEPHONES

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

A SURVEY was made through Abbottstown last week from west to east. The surveyors were reticent, stating when questioned that purpose would be known in the Spring.

THE Up-to-Date Veterinarian prescribes the Fairfield Blood Tonic because there is a separate preparation for each kind of animal. Results are guaranteed when you use the Fairfield Blood Tonic according to plain directions. Ask for Fairfield's Free Book on Stock. Sold under written guarantee by Lower Bros., Table Rock, and J. M. Musselman, Fairfield.

ANDREW WALKER of Mt. Joy township had the misfortune to fall from a load of corn fodder and fracture several ribs and bruise himself up otherwise.

Stung For 15 Years

by Indigestion's pangs—trying many doctors and \$200.00 worth of medicine in vain. B. F. Ayres, of Ingleside, N. C., at last used Dr. King's New Life Pills, and writes they wholly cured him. They cure Constipation, Biliousness, Sick Headache, Stomach, Liver, Kidney and Bowel troubles. 25c at Peoples Drug Store.

E. G. STERNER of Harney had the misfortune to lose a fine colt, he had turned it out with his cattle and they gored it so badly that it died.

AFTER exposure, and when you feel a cold coming on, take Foley's Honey and Tar, the great throat and lung remedy. It stops the cough, relieves the congestion, and expels the cold from your system. Is mildly laxative. Refuse substitutes. The Peoples drug store.

THE operation by Dr. G. E. Spatz of Hampton on young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Wiley for bowed leg was a decided success. The limbs had been so crooked that child stood on sides of her feet now they are straight.

CASTORIA.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

THREE year old son of Mr. and Mrs. George Shover of New Oxford fell at place upon a broken glass jar and cut a large gash in left cheek, requiring a number of stitches to close.

For that Dull Feeling After Eating.

I have used Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets for some time, and can testify that they have done me more good than any tablets I have ever used. My trouble was a heavy dull feeling after eating.—DAVID FREEMAN, Kempt, Nova Scotia. These tablets strengthen the stomach and improve digestion. They also regulate the liver and bowels. They are far superior to pills but cost no more. Get a free sample at The Peoples Drug Store and see what a splendid medicine it is.

JACOB T. MYERS of York Springs has a joint cactus 35 years old that now contains 75 flowers.

DYSPEPSIA is America's curse. Burdock Blood Bitters conquers dyspepsia every time. It drives out impurities, tones the stomach, restores perfect digestion, normal weight, and good health.

IRENE MYERS, daughter of Lewis Myers, of East Berlin, has a fractured collar bone, the result of a fall.

THE peculiar properties of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy have been thoroughly tested during epidemics of influenza, and when it was taken in time we have not heard of a single case of pneumonia. Sold by The Peoples Drug Store.

REPORT

OF the condition of the GETTYSBURG NATIONAL BANK at Gettysburg, in the State of Pennsylvania at the close of business Nov. 16, 1909.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts	647,931.13
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	255.70
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	145,000.00
Bonds, securities, etc.	319,223.38
Banking-house, furniture and fixtures	10,721.00
Due from National Banks not reserve agents	2,471.56
Due from state and private banks and bankers trust companies and savings banks	960.60
Due from approved reserve agents	73,583.36
Checks and other cash items	872.50
Notes of other National Banks	2,710.00
Fractional paper currency	78.21
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank	
Specie	40,825.00
Legal-tender notes	16,525.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)	7,250.00
Building fund	14,310.22
Total	\$1,282,417.66

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	145,150.00
Surplus fund	110,000.00
Undivided profits less expenses and taxes paid	51,661.06
National Bank notes outstanding	144,200.00
Due to other National Banks	843.96
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	1,863.09
Dividend unpaid	455.00
Individual deposits subject to check	144,389.89
Demand certificates of deposit	583,854.66
Total	\$1,282,417.66

State of Pennsylvania, County of Adams, ss. I, E. M. BENDER, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

E. M. BENDER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of Nov., 1909.

H. G. WILLIAMS, N. P.

Correct Attest: WM. McSHERRY, WALTER H. O'NEAL, DONALD P. McPHERSON, Directors.

REPORT.

OF the condition of the "FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF GETTYSBURG," at Gettysburg, in the State of Pennsylvania at the close of business Nov. 16, 1909.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts	872,417.46
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	315.37
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	100,000.00
Banking-house, furniture and fixtures	52,750.00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	79,079.27
Due from State and private banks and Bankers, Trust Companies and Savings Banks	960.36
Due from approved reserve agents	18,197.43
Checks and other cash items	151.76
Notes of other National Banks	83,176.45
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	4,328.11
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank	322.00
Specie	197.09
Legal-tender Notes	31,363.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)	23,050.99
Total	1,275,228.21

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$100,000.00
Surplus fund	150,000.00
Undivided profits less expenses and taxes paid	28,268.38
National Bank notes outstanding	100,000.00
Due to other National Banks	607.12
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	782.49
Dividend unpaid	2,436.00
Individual deposits subject to check	180,930.34
Demand certificates of deposit	712,203.83
Total	1,275,228.21

State of Pennsylvania, County of Adams, ss. I, SAMUEL M. BUSHMAN, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

SAMUEL M. BUSHMAN, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of Nov., 1909.

H. G. WILLIAMS, N. P.

Correct Attest: G. H. TROSTLE, ALEX. SPANGLER, J. L. BUTT, Directors.

Allen's Lung Balm

will cure not only a fresh cold, but one of those stubborn coughs that usually hang on for months. Give it a trial and prove its worth. 25c. 50c. and \$1.00.

DIVIDEND NOTICE

The President and Directors of the FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF GETTYSBURG have declared a semi-annual dividend of 4 Per Cent. and a special dividend of 1 Per Cent., clear of all taxes, payable on and after MONDAY, NOV. 22nd.

ASSESSMENT NOTICE

The Directors of the Muncasburg Mutual Fire Protection Society have ordered an assessment of 2 1/2 per cent. on the amount of the premium notes to be paid thereon, payable on or before the 15th of December, 1909. Particular attention is called to the 17th Section of the By-Laws, viz: Whenever an assessment has been made on the premium notes and not paid within thirty days after the same shall have been demanded, the policy shall be considered null and void and of no validity, but the directors may retain the premium note and collect thereon such sum and should it become necessary to enforce the payment of the amount assessed by suit at law, the recovery of said cost to form part of the claim of the delinquent member of the society. J. F. HARTMAN, Secretary.

REUBEN H. CULP

141 EAST YORK STREET.

Paper Hanger and Decorator

Have just received a large and varied stock of

Wall Paper

IN ALL THE LATEST STYLES To be sold at LOWEST PRICES Paper Hanging done on short notice and in a workmanlike manner

GETTYSBURG MARBLE & GRANITE WORKS

NORTH OF READING FREIGHT DEPOT.

We can furnish anything desirable in the Monumental line. Monuments, Headstones, Markers, Posts, etc., in Granite, and Marble of the best material finely finished and at reasonable prices. It will be to the advantage of those contemplating the erection of a memorial to departed friends, to call and examine our stock, workmanship and prices, before placing an order.

L. H. MEALS PROP.

A Reliable Remedy FOR CATARRH

Ely's Cream Balm is quickly absorbed. Gives Relief at Once. It cleanses, soothes, heals and protects the diseased membrane resulting from Catarrh and drives away a Cold in the Head quickly. Restores the Senses of Taste and Smell. Full size 50 cts. at Druggists or by mail. Liquid Cream Balm for use in atomizers 75 cts. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren Street, New York.

Building Lots

—AT—

PRIVATE SALE.

The undersigned has valuable Building Lots for sale in the

Borough of Gettysburg.

Fronting on Springs Avenue, Buford Avenue, and W. Middle Street.

Interested persons will call on either of the undersigned for prices and terms

MARY C. BAIR, Guardian.

or W. C. SHEELY, Attorney

DIVIDEND NOTICE

The President and Directors of the GETTYSBURG NATIONAL BANK have declared a semi-annual dividend of 4 Per Cent. and a special dividend of 1 Per Cent., clear of all taxes. Checks have been mailed.

Hoffman Orphanage Plans.

At the recent meeting of the Potosi Synod at Woodstock the following Board of Directors was elected to take charge of the administration of the Hoffman Orphanage:

Rev. Dr. T. J. Barkley, of Gettysburg; F. S. Lindaman, of Littlestown; Elias S. Hay, of Hanover; E. Bruce Lytle, of York; C. S. Slagle, Westminster; A. M. Gluck, of Emmittsburg, Md.; John L. Gerber, of York; O. D. Gilbert, of Westminster; George M. Conover, of Littlestown; J. H. Maus, Silver Run, Md.; C. S. Duncan, Esq., and Dr. H. M. Hartman, of Gettysburg.

The Board organized in Hanover last week by the election of the following officers and executive committee:

President—Rev. Dr. T. J. Barkley.
Secretary—Rev. Elias S. Hay.
Treasurer—Rev. Dr. C. S. Slagle.

Executive Committee—Rev. Dr. T. J. Barkley, Rev. Elias S. Hay, Rev. F. S. Lindaman, Dr. H. M. Hartman, George Conover and John L. Gerber.

At the meeting plans were outlined for the opening of the institution at an early date.

Rev. J. Stewart Hartman, of Woodstock, Va., formerly pastor of the Reformed church at Silver Run, Md., was elected Superintendent. Definite plans will not be made until the Board is assured that Rev. Hartman will accept the superintendency.

The two farms of the late George W. and Agnes Hoffman, located in Mt. Joy township, Adams county, were given for the founding of a home and school for orphan boys and girls.

Resident agent wanted by large distillery. Must be well acquainted with local trade. Address, Opportunity, 59 4th Ave., New York.

CHRISTMAS POST CARDS and novelties in great variety at C. A. Blocher's Jewelry Store.

Teachers of schools and churches before buying Christmas candies, oranges, &c. Call and see what we can do for you.

Peoples Cash Store.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

In pursuance of a writ of fieri facias, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County, and to me directed, will be exposed to Public Sale on Thursday the 30th day of December, 1909, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, at the Court house in the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams County, Penna., the following viz:

A farm situated in Mt. Joy Township, Adams County Penna., on the road leading from Yost's store to the Littlestown road, one half mile from Yost's store. Adjoining lands of Charles Yost, Jim Schriver, Jesse Snyder and Hon. S. McC. Swone containing 54 acres of land, improved with a two story frame house, good sized barn, out house, chicken house, hog pen, fruit trees and well of water.

Seized and taken into execution as the property of C. H. Rickrode and to be sold by me.

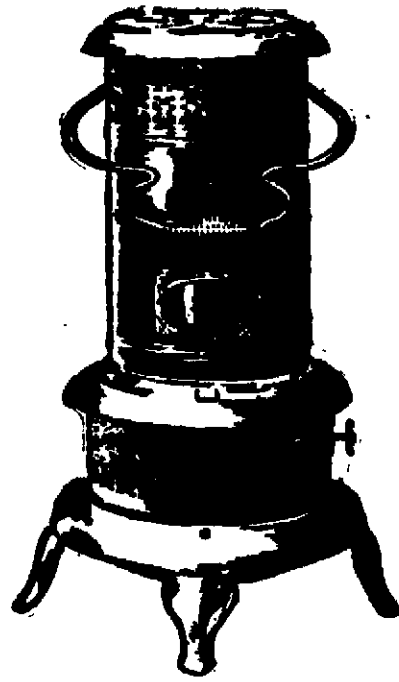
ELIAS FISSEL, Sheriff.

Ten per cent. of the purchase money upon all sales by the sheriff must be paid over immediately after the property is struck down or, upon failure to comply therewith the property will be put again for sale.

Smokeless

Until science discovered a way to construct the Automatic Smokeless Device, and make it completely dependable, all oil heaters had one common great fault—smoke.

With the advent of the Automatic Smokeless Device, and its practical application to the



PERFECTION Oil Heater

(Equipped with Smokeless Device)

the smoke problem was successfully solved.

The Perfection Oil Heater is the only heater equipped with this

Automatic Smokeless Device

which insures a steady, full-glowing heat, with the wick turned up as high as it will go, without a shred of smoke. Reverse the motion, turn the wick down—there's no odor.

The smokeless device automatically locks and prevents the upward movement of the wick beyond the proper exposure. That is the secret. This splendid result gives leadership to the Perfection.

You may now have all the heat you want—when you want it—and where you want it—without the annoyance of smoke or odor. Brass font holds 4 quarts of oil, which permits a glowing heat for 9 hours. Brass wick tube—dampers top—cool handle. Cleaned in a minute. The Perfection is beautifully finished in Nickel or Japan.

Every Dealer Everywhere. If Not At Yours, Write for Descriptive Circular to the Nearest Agency of the

THE ATLANTIC REFINING COMPANY
(Incorporated)

PUBLIC SALE

OF PERSONAL PROPERTY.

ON THURSDAY the 16th day of DECEMBER, 1909, the undersigned, executor of the last will and testament of C. P. Krise, late of the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams Co., Pa. dec'd, will sell on the farm of John H. Eckert, located near Fairfield School house on the road leading from Gettysburg to Fairfield, said farm being now occupied by J. Vingling, the following personal property: Four cows, two calves about six months old, one heifer about a year old, a two year old bull.

Sale to commence at 2 o'clock p. m. on said farm when attendance will be given and terms made known by.

J. L. BUTT, Executor.

ELECTION.

AN Election for thirteen Directors of the Liberty and Independent Mutual Fire Insurance Association will be held on SATURDAY, JAN. 1st, 1910 at the office of the Company, between the hours of 1 and 3 o'clock, p. m.

D. P. DELAP, Secretary.

ELECTION.

AN Election for thirteen Directors of the Muncieburg Mutual Fire Protection Society will be held at the office of the Company in Gettysburg, SATURDAY, JAN. 1st, 1910, between the hours of 12 m. and 3 p. m.

J. FRANK HARTMAN, Secretary.

"Read the Compiler."

SHERIFF'S SALE.

IN pursuance of a writ of fieri facias, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County, and to me directed, will be exposed to Public Sale on THURSDAY, the 30th day of December, 1909, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon at the court house in the borough of Gettysburg, Adams county, Pa., the following real estate, viz:

A house and lot, situated in Hunterstown Adams County, Pa., described as follows: 80 foot front, (more or less), and 200 feet deep, (more or less), improved with a two story frame dwelling house, chair maker's shop and a lot of fruit trees. Adjoining lands of John Taughinbaugh, on the east and Dr. C. E. Goldsboro on the north. Seized and taken into execution as the property of William T. Little, and to be sold by me.

ELIAS FISSEL, Sheriff.

Ten per cent of the purchase money upon all sales by the sheriff must be paid over immediately after the property is struck down or, upon failure to comply therewith the property will be put again for sale.

Sheriff's Office, Gettysburg, Pa., Nov. 29th, 1909.

ELECTION NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Policy holders of the Gettysburg Mutual Fire Insurance Company for the purpose of electing sixteen Managers for the ensuing year and transacting such other business as may properly come before it will be held on January 10, 1910, at 10 o'clock, a. m., at the office of W. C. Steady, Esq., in the Borough of Gettysburg, County of Adams, State of Penna.

W. E. KAPP, Secretary.

Paradise for Gift Buyers

Studios and untiring efforts in the past few months on the part of our buyers has given us a stock of Christmas Goods which has never, we believe, been equalled in so small a town. We cannot begin to tell all we have in an advertisement, but we invite your Severest Personal Inspection.

Leather Goods

In every article made up of leather. We have in the various kinds of leather—

Hand Bags, Purses, Card Cases,
Lap Tablets, Collar Bags, Music Rolls,
Shopping Bags, Opera Bags, Bill Books,
Traveling Cases, Etc.

All these articles in various grades up to **\$15.00**

Box Paper

of the finest quality in short beautiful holiday attire.

Post Cards,

Booklets, Calendars, Cards, Tags and Seals. Everything to fix up a fancy package.

Empty Boxes

All sizes and shapes, in Holly and Poinsetta covering. It adds luster to your present to put it in a nice box.

Childrens Dep't.

not forgotten, a full line of Books, Games, Blocks, Paints and many nice things to make them happy.

Perfume

The most gorgeous packages of cut glass bottles filled with high grade extracts, and smaller packages to suit all purses.

Toilet Cases

and Manicure Sets. A most handsome line of these sets on display in Gold, Silver, Ebony, Etc., in prices from **50c to \$12.00.**

Metal Novelties

in Every Description. Ink stands, Ash Trays, Necktie Hangers, Frames, Book Cases and Ornaments of all descriptions.

Our store is filled from end to end with things that make your buying easy, such as photo albums, post card albums, jewel cases, bibles, books, candy, fine knives and razors, mirrors, brushes, collar, cuff and handkerchief boxes, shaving sets, fountain pens, cigars, Indian pottery and baskets, leather cushions and stand covers. Relieve your Xmas troubles by coming to our store.

Peoples Drug Store 25 Balto. St. Gettysburg.

Christmas : Thoughts

Gifts that are Thoroughly Appreciated

Are coming more and more to be those that possess not only beauty and good taste, but usefulness as well. Here are a few suggestions along the line of useful gifts, and lots of them have beauty too : : : : :

For the Men Folks

In a word, everything but ready-made clothing; to be more explicit, Winter Caps and Hats, Woolen and Silk Mufflers, Shirts, Underwear, Collars, Ties at 25c and 50c (every 50c tie in a beautiful box.) Suspenders, Pocket-books, Handkerchiefs of all kinds, Umbrellas, Suit Cases and Bags, Hosiery, Collar Bags, Stick Pins, Cuff Links, Gloves, (fur, skin and wool,) Mittens, Shoes, Overgaiters, Rubber Boots, Arctics, Rubbers, Sweaters, (from 50c to \$5.00.) Combination Sets of Tie, Hose and Handkerchiefs to match; also Combination Sets of Tie and Hose to match, particularly good gifts for a young man; Fur Collars, Pajamas, Night Robes.

For the Lady Folks

Shoes of every description, from the heavy knock-about Shoe to the fine Dress Boots. Sweaters, Kid and Felt Slippers for comfortable house wear; Rubber Shoes and Boots, Over Gaiters.

For the Boys and Girls

Sweaters, (all colors and all prices, from 50c to \$1.50) bright colored Skating Caps, High Top Shoes, Leggings, High School Pennants, Gauntlet Gloves, Caps with turn downs over the ears, Rubber Shoes, Rubber Boots, Neckties, Mufflers, Mittens.

BUY EARLY—all goods sold subject to exchange

"MERRY CHRISTMAS"

Eckert's : Store

"ON THE SQUARE"
Gettysburg, Pa.

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Dougherty & Hartley

Gustave Hinkle —Martyr

By CAROLINE LOCKHART

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Gustave Hinkle intended to kill himself as soon as he had finished Albert Snow's dress clothes for the Eagles' ball. As he put uneven stitches in the satin lining of the coat which was to display the accursed figure of Snow at this long-anticipated social function, the tailor's hands trembled and his palms grew moist with nervousness.

Gott! How he had longed to stab Albert Snow with the scissors and see his heart's blood spurt over the broad stripes of his pink and white shirt as Snow had stood to be measured for the only suit of evening clothes west of the county seat. But, instead, Hinkle had smiled faintly at his customer's broad humor, had pinned and snipped, and labored with infinite patience over the garments which might widen still further the crevice in his cracked hearthstone.

Hinkle had seen that which had convinced him that Snow and his—Hinkle's wife—were madly in love with each other. He brooded over it as he stitched, and the conviction grew that the only way out, the only thing which remained for him to do, was to die by his own hand.

When he began to give the subject thought he was surprised at the variety of dramatic situations which could be evolved from a single demise. He worked out the details of one tableau after another with a ghastly zest which was shocking.

Should he be found cold and still, with a bit of sewing clutched in his stiffened fingers, a sad, sweet smile on his white face, that they might engrave on his marble tablet "Faithful Unto Death," or should he be found, a crumpled heap, near her chair in the millinery, the blood gushing from a hideous knife wound above the heart? He could take his six-shooter and go out and die on a wide-swept ridge, where the coyote would howl a requiem over his corpse. He could do one of many things which would horrify and excite the entire county and give him a funeral unsurpassed in the annals of the town. But the end which appealed to him most was a watery one—a grave in the Stinking Water—only half a mile from town. Dragging for his body would prolong the excitement, and the pathos of the scene when they grappled and found him, bringing him to the surface arrayed in his frock coat and pearl gray wedding trousers, brought tears to his eyes.

Hinkle's sufferings at the Eagles' ball were all he had anticipated. Curses on him! Snow danced like an angel, and as Hinkle's wife, in her spangled net leaned on Snow's Herford front, the whirling couple were the center of attraction.

From an obscure corner, Hinkle looked on with dumb suffering in his sheeplike eyes and composed the letter which he meant to leave on his wife's pin cushion the following day.

Though hating Snow, he could perfectly understand his infatuation for Mrs. Hinkle. She looked so lovely, he thought, with that red rose hanging over her left ear, which decoration she had temporarily removed from a bonnet that was to go out next day.

If only, he moaned inwardly, she had not loved Snow in return! Then, he could have killed him and intrusted his life to the liberal minded and sympathetic juries of the state. But his wife's love for Snow altered everything. He had told her in the fervent long ago that he valued her happiness above his own life, and now that he was put to the test he must not fail.

Even Eagles' balls must end, and when Hinkle finally buttoned his wife into her plush dolman he looked far more jaded than she, who had not missed a dance.

He solemnly kissed her good night on the forehead, conscious that it was his last night on earth and that it was her last good night kiss from him. She scolded him sleepily for letting the lamp smoke, and he wondered if she would remember her harsh words—"bunny" was one of them—when he was gone.

They had eggs for breakfast, and she forgot to fry his eggs on both sides, as he liked them best. The reproach in his eyes was out of all proportion to its cause; but he knew what she did not, that those eggs, like his good night kiss, were his last.

His wife went first to open the shop, and he lingered to write the letter which was to explain all. It read:

My Dear, Dear Wife: When you get this you will be glad to hear that I am dead so you can marry that cheap skate Albert Snow. I know everything so I die! You love him. I saw you when you thought you was hid behind a hat. I love you better than my life so I drowned myself in the Stinking Water which is cold but not so cold as your heart. I give you everything but I ask one request which is, do not let Albert Snow wear my clothes. That I could not bear. If I do not come up you can drag for me about two hundred yards below the bridge. I have loved you always, nobody but you, and I die that you can marry that cheap skate Albert Snow. Your loving husband, GUSTAVE HINKLE.

Hinkle blotted the signature with a tear and attached the letter to his wife's cushion with an elk-tooth hat-pin—he had given it to her on her birthday. Then, having dressed in the clothes he had planned, he walked slowly through the rooms and bade them a silent good-by. In the air, his eyes fell upon his trout rod. Simultaneously, almost, with his glance, a beautiful thought came to

him. What if he should catch a string of trout and leave them with her name upon them at the spot on the bank where he jumped in? Would she share them with Albert Snow? Surely this last pathetic act of devotion would soften her memory of him in after years. Besides, he loved to fish, and there was no reason why a man, even a man as good as dead, should not have a little sweetness in his cup of bitterness. So he put his trout flies in an inside pocket and started for the river.

He scurried through the alleys, dodging acquaintances, for the least observing would have thought it singular that Gustave Hinkle, at 8:30 in the morning, should array himself in a frock coat and pearl gray trousers and start fishing.

The stimulating air, and the mere act of hurrying, which, accurately, was more like skulking, gave him a better color than he had had in months. The blood flowed faster in his veins, and he was amazed to find that his chronically cold feet and hands were almost warm. His liver, sluggish from his sedentary life, stirred, and in spite of himself, with the feeling a person has when he laughs at a funeral, Hinkle felt himself growing cheerful.

The sun sparkled on the fast flowing river. Hinkle saw a shadow glide behind a rock, and his spirits rose like a thermometer in a chinook. His hands trembled with eagerness as he tied on "the professor," his favorite fly, and cast it with a skill which justified his pride in the throw.

A strike! Gott! What happiness! If only he could hook him! Once again, he was on! He had him! The beating of Hinkle's heart almost choked him. The water washed over his patent leather shoes and lapped at his wedding trousers as, in his excitement, he waded farther and farther into the river. What a fighter he was! How game! A whale in size! The slender pole bent as the tailor played him, till it seemed it must snap under the strain. Hinkle's face grew alternately red and white at each rush. The line might break—the hook might break—the fish might tear loose! But while it lasted was there ever such ecstasy? He would be the talk of the community if only he could land that fish. Then, for one sickening second, he remembered that he was the same as dead. No matter. He would be a dead hero. So he played the trout with a desperate skill which would have immortalized him had there been witnesses. The trout's rushes grew shorter and less violent. He was tiring him out. Finally, while his heart seemed on the point of bursting with joy, he drew the fish slowly through the water and dragged him ashore—the biggest, the most beautiful Dolly Varden trout that ever had come out of a Wyoming stream!

Hinkle placed him tenderly on a rock and looked at him as he lay gasping in the sunshine. As he looked, his desire became a resolve. He wanted to show that trout to Lottie. With his own eyes he wished to behold her astonishment and delight. He yearned to lay it in her hands himself. Why need he die today, he asked himself. There was no reason why he should if he could get his clutches on that note before Lottie saw it. Besides, his taste of victory had aroused a pugnacious spirit within him. His determination to yield the field so meekly to Snow grew less firm. Why not make a struggle, at least, to regain his wife's love? If he failed, he could die any old time, and he could always kill Albert Snow.

Moved to action by his sudden resolve, he picked the fish up and started on a run for home. He must head Lottie off before she found that note. His trousers of ample cut, wet above the knees, slapped about his legs as he ran, and the water oozed through the eyelets of his trim patent leather shoes.

He was bounding over the sagebrush hummocks like an English hare bound when, raising his eyes, he saw a crowd bearing down upon him, led by his wife and the local editor, who had his pencil still behind his ear and was wearing a quilted, plum-colored smoking-jacket. Hinkle understood. She had read the note and had alarmed the town as she ran for the river.

The greater portion of the volunteer fire department was in the crowd. The mayor was there, and the coroner. Hinkle could not but feel flattered. He sat down on a hummock to pant and await the oncoming throng. He suddenly felt a certain smug satisfaction in himself. Not only had he learned the esteem in which he was held by his fellow citizens, but he was alive to witness it.

His wife threw herself into his arms and all but buried him backward.

"Oh, Gustave," she sobbed, "why did you do it?"

"I didn't do it," he grinned.

"Are you crazy?" demanded the mayor, who had stepped on a cactus.

"Not yet," replied Hinkle blissfully, as he folded his wife to his bosom.

"It's all a mistake," she continued. "I love you. I have had ambitions for you. I wanted to get you into politics, and Mr. Snow promised to help me. We are going to run you for councilman. It's only a stepping stone to congress. You have the support of all these people—your friends."

"Lottie, can you forgive me?" He was about to drop on his knees in the sand when she raised him to his feet. He stood up and slipped on the trout, which he had momentarily forgotten.

As he gathered it up and laid it in her hands he murmured tenderly, "I done it for you, dearest."

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.
MARY C. WERT ESTATE.—Letters testamentary on estate of Mary C. Wert, late of the Township of Tyrone, Adams county, Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, she hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment and those having claims to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

A. O. STEVENS,
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C. A. CHROSTER,
New Oxford,
Or their Attorney,
W. C. SHEELY, Esq.,
Executors.

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AGNES DEVINE,
Executrix,
Edge Grove.

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SARAH MARCH ESTATE.—Letters testamentary on estate of Sarah March, late of the Township of Butler, Adams county, Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, she hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment and those having claims to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

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TAX APPEAL FOR 1910

The Commission of Adams county hereby give notice that they have fixed upon the following times and places for holding tax appeals for 1910 in the several boroughs and townships of Adams county, when and where they will attend to hear appeals between the hours of 9 a. m. and 3 p. m. on each day as follows:

For the Township of Cumberland, on Wednesday, Dec. 1, 1909, Commissioners' Office.

For the 1st and 2nd wards, Gettysburg Borough, Thursday, Dec. 2, 1909, Commissioners' Office.

For the 3rd ward, Gettysburg, and Township of Freedom, Friday, Dec. 3, 1909, Commissioners' Office.

For the Townships of Hamiltonban, Liberty, Highland, and Fairfield Borough, Monday, Dec. 6, 1909, at the public house of Geo. Kebl, in Fairfield.

For the Township of Franklin and Ardenstville Borough, on Wednesday, Dec. 8, 1909, at the Rock Top Hotel in Cashtown.

For the Township of Menallen and Benderstville Borough, on Thursday, Dec. 9, 1909, at Public House of George Hoover in Benderstville.

For the Township of Butler and Biglerville Borough, on Friday, Dec. 10, 1909, at Public House of Aaron Schlosser in Biglerville.

For the Townships of Germany and Union and the Borough of Littlestown, on Saturday, Dec. 11, 1909, at house of Geo. W. Brumgard in Littlestown.

For the Townships of Tyrone, Latimore, Huntingdon, and the Borough of York Springs, on Monday, Dec. 13, 1909, at the Public House in York Springs.

For the Township of Reading on Tuesday, Dec. 14, 1909, at the National Hotel in Hampton.

For the Township of Hamilton and the Borough of East Berlin, on Wednesday, Dec. 15, 1909, at the Sunday House in East Berlin.

For the Township of Berwick and Berwick Borough, on Thursday, Dec. 16, 1909, at the Altland House in Abbottstown.

For the Township of Conowingo and the 1st and 2nd wards of the Borough of McSherrystown, on Friday, Dec. 17, at the Union Hotel in McSherrystown.

For the Township of Oxford and the Borough of New Oxford, on Saturday, Dec. 18, 1909, at Hotel Oxford in New Oxford.

For the Township of Strasburg on Monday, Dec. 20, 1909, at the Public House of F. Mc Thomas in Hunterstown.

For the Township of Mountjoy, on Wednesday, Dec. 22, 1909, at the Election House at Two Taverns.

For the Township of Mountpleasant on Thursday, Dec. 23, 1909, at the Hotel in Bonneville, kept by John Wagner.

On the same date the County Commissioners, Assessors of the respective districts will meet to review the military enrollment and determine who are exempt from military duty.

By order of the Commissioners,
S. MILBY MILLER, Clerk.

The undersigned Board of Revision will attend at the various places of holding appeals to finally determine whether any of the valuations of the Assessors have been made below a just rate according to the Act of Assembly.

J. A. KANE,
Z. H. CASHMAN,
W. R. WEIR,
County Commissioners.

NOTICE

In the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County, Pennsylvania, April Term, 1909. No. 1. In Equity.

C. TAYLOR LELAND, a bondholder, creditor of the Gettysburg Transit Company on behalf of himself and such other stockholders and creditors as may become parties hereto, Plaintiffs,

vs.

THE GETTYSBURG TRANSIT COMPANY, a corporation created by and existing under the laws of the State of Pennsylvania, and resident therein, and the West End Trust and Safe Deposit Company, a corporation created by and existing under the laws of the State of Pennsylvania, and resident therein, Defendants.

Notice is hereby given that the report of C. Taylor Leland, Receiver of the Gettysburg Transit Company, containing statement of the West End Trust and Safe Deposit Company (now the West End Trust Company), Trustee of the said property, premises and franchises of the said Gettysburg Transit Company, and showing a distribution of the proceeds thereof, has been filed and confirmed nisi by the said Court, and that if no exceptions be filed in the meantime, the said sale and distribution will be confirmed absolutely on the 1st day of DECEMBER, 1909.

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THE FIFTY FIFTH INSTITUTE

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A year later he is again forced to cross the Alps and at Austertiz achieves a marvellous victory.

Two years have passed, the senate has declared the descent of the throne must be through a male heir. Then Napoleon makes the first mistake of his life. He divorces Josephine, and gives her a great palace in which to live. He then marries Marie, the daughter of his bitter enemy. This is very unpopular with the French, but Napoleon's object is to ally the houses of France and Austria. One year later he presents to the senate a son under the title of the "King of Rome."

When misfortune overshadows Napoleon Marie leaves him and goes to her father where the boy is reared and not until his twelfth year does he hear of his father or what his own name is. The son dies about the same time his father is ending his days on the island of St. Helena.

When Napoleon was learning French for a Corsican, he did not know the language, in his copy book was this line, "St. Helena is a little island."

After his death his remains were brought to Paris and buried with great pomp and ceremony on the banks of the Seine.

Thursday Evening.

The Entertainment presented by the Vassar Girls was the big hit of the week. The eight Vassar girls are accomplished musicians, not only with saxophones and the brass instruments, cornets and trombones, but also with wood wind, flute, clarinets, oboe and bassoon. They could sing and whistle and altogether was one of the finest musical entertainment that has ever come to town.

Friday Morning.

The sun shone brightly this morning as it has all week, and the last session opened at 9 o'clock with many eager teachers present.

Devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. Stanley Billheimer of York Springs, who read the 19th Psalm and offered prayer.

Supt. Roth made several announcements: The meeting of primary teachers will convene at Biglerville Feb. 5. The principals will hold their meeting in Gettysburg on Jan. 15. An educational rally will be held in Fairfield Jan. 8. Teachers are strongly urged to attend these meetings and to take part in the discussions.

This week all the teachers of the county, 209 in number, have attended the Institute. The Supt. added that he would be in his office during the afternoon from 1.30 to 4.00.

The several committees being called on for their reports submitted the following which were accepted and the committees excused.

Memorial Resolutions.

Whereas, It has pleased the all-wise Teacher to remove from our ranks our fellow teacher and co-worker, Miss Ida E. Sheads, and while we bow in humble submission to Him whose wisdom is infallible, we feel that our loss may be her eternal gain. Therefore, be it

Resolved, That we cherish in our memories the virtues of the deceased, also be it

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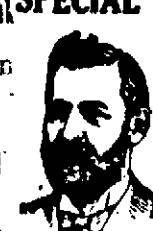
Penrose Myers, 12 Baltimore street, Gettysburg, Pa., says: "I have to be on my feet a great deal of the time and this served to weaken my kidneys. A constant pain across my back, caused me much misery and at times was so acute that I could hardly stoop. I also had trouble from rheumatism, at times being very lame and stiff, especially in the morning. I was feeling quite miserable when my attention was drawn to Doan's Kidney Pills and I procured a box at the People's drug store. They effected a complete cure and I am today without a sign of kidney trouble."

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Resolved, That we extend to the bereaved friends our sympathy in this their deep sorrow and commend them to the One who can comfort them in this their sorrow and further to it.

Resolved, That these resolutions be ordered upon the minutes of the Institute and published in at least one of the county papers.

R. K. STULTZ,
C. E. GARDNER,
CHARLOTTE WALSHAY
Committee.

Reading Course.

The books recommended on reading course are: "History of Education," and "Dutton's School Management," continued from last year. The book added, "Teaching a District School," by Dimsmore.

C. F. PALMER,
G. B. LINAH,
MELLIE EISENHART
Committee.

Superintendent's Report.

Office of County Superintendent, Gettysburg, Pa., Dec. 21, 1908.

Account of Supt. H. Milton Roth, Treasurer with Adams County Teachers' Institute, Nov. 16-20, 1908.

RECEIPTS.

Eat. on hand 1907.....	42.59
Recd. from Co. Treas.....	200.00
Recd. from teachers.....	506.50
Recd. from Ex. entertainments	141.20
Recd. from adv.....	25.00
Total receipts.....	\$1215.29

EXPENDITURES.

Instructors for summer meet.	\$41.02
Instructors for Teachers' Ins.	433.00
Lecturers and entertainments	462.00
For use of hall.....	57.00
Per. Certificate Committee.....	7.40
Secretary, pianist, organist, violinist.....	36.00
Doorkeepers, ushers and help	28.00
For boarding instructors.....	25.50
For advertising, printing, supplies and other expenses.....	155.42
Total expenditures.....	\$1263.34
Deficit.....	48.05

We, the undersigned auditors, duly appointed by the executive committee of the Adams County Teachers' Institute, do hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of Supt. H. Milton Roth, this 1st day of Dec., A. D., 1909, and find them correct as above stated.

W. PRESTON HULL,
ALICE A. MILLER,
M. E. HANES
Auditors.

Committee on Resolutions.

We, the teachers of Adams County, in 55th annual session of the institute assembled, hereby adopt the following resolutions:

Resolved, That we gratefully acknowledge the courtesy shown to us by the citizens of Gettysburg.

Resolved, That we sincerely thank the ministers of the town, the press, the ushers and all others who have in any way added in the making of a successful session.

Resolved, That we heartily appreciate the great interest manifested all over the county in the form of township meetings, local institute and educational mass meetings and that we urge each teacher to encourage this spirit by attendance and participation.

Resolved, That inasmuch as school libraries and commercial museums are to be had for the asking, we would impress upon all teachers the necessity of securing such valuable additions to their school equipment.

Resolved, That we endorse some form of study in the curriculum that will sensibly and practically lead to the science of agriculture.

Resolved, That we approve of the various chataquas and summer schools throughout the State and that we advise all teachers to become interested in this chance for improvement.

Resolved, That we endorse the present method of closing the session of institute at noon on Friday as conducive to the general welfare of the teachers.

Resolved, That we owe a debt of gratitude to our superintendent, H. Milton Roth for his constant efforts in behalf of the schools, for his sympathetic help to us as teachers and especially for the able arrangement of program and wise selection of practical instructors, thus making the 55th session one of his many successful institutes.

HELEN L. COPE,
BETTIE MORETTE,
C. E. TAWNEY
Committee.

The Supt. commended upon the resolutions saying he did not take to himself the credit of the success of the Institute, that that was due the teachers who had contributed so faithfully for their strict attendance and attention. He reminded the teachers that museums could be obtained for the asking, also lantern slides for educational meetings of any kind.

In a brief address Dr. S. G. Hefebower gave the teachers many beautiful thoughts to carry away with them.

The college president and the public school teacher are engaged in the same work, only in different rooms of the great factory whose aim is the molding of citizens that measure up to the demands of civilization. Towards this end the church and school should work together. The address was a beautiful and earnest appeal for moral training. Pestalozzi, Spencer, Dante, Milton and Kepler were quoted to substantiate the statement that power is danger unless properly directed. If the teacher does not hold up correct and true ideals, and lead children to respect what is right, noble and true he is a failure. The importance of personal contact between the individual teacher and the individual pupil was mentioned. The amount of moral instruction given depends upon the individual teacher hence the greater responsibility. To fall short here is to fail in responsibility to future generations.

Prof. Roth in his habitual urbane manner thanked the teachers for their courtesy and trusted the instructors

THE CHRISTMAS DINNER.

In spite of the fact that the word dyspepsia means literally bad cook, it will not be fair for many to lay the blame on the cook if they begin the Christmas Dinner with little appetite and end it with distress or nausea. It may not be fair for any to do that—let us hope so for the sake of the cook! The disease dyspepsia indicates a bad stomach, that is a weak stomach, rather than a bad cook, and for a weak stomach there is nothing else equal to Hood's Sarsaparilla. It gives the stomach vigor and tone, cures dyspepsia, creates appetite, and the pleasure it should have thou—
—dial Rhymus I wrote

YOUNG GIRL INJURED

BARLOW, Nov. 29th—Bessie Kelly met with an accident last Friday evening that came near costing her life. She came in the stable and stood against the wall, back of the horse her father was bridling, when the animal ran back with full force pinning her to the wall. Dr. Diehl was summoned and after examination found the pelvic bone broken from the backbone. She is now confined to her bed doing as well as can be expected.

On Tuesday evening, Nov. 23rd, a number of friends gave a surprise party, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob E. Sharetts to celebrate Mrs. Sharetts birthday. The evening was spent in various ways. We were invited to a table laden with cakes, oranges, ice cream, etc., and at an appropriate hour all returned home. Those present were: Jacob E. Sharetts and wife, A. Truman Luckenbaugh and family, Samuel D. Wikert and family, E. H. Benner and wife, Misses Elsie Smith, Ida Haley, Ruth Trostel, Dortha Sharetts, Messrs. Mervin Benner, Charles McKinney, Paul Reaver, O. B. Sharetts and family and your correspondent and wife.

Jacob E. Sharetts has improved the premises occupied by A. Truman Luckenbaugh, by putting a new roof on the house. Howard Maring contractor.

Mrs. Effenger Lucas and children of York, are spending a few days at the home of Mrs. Lucas parents, Wm. H. Cromer.

S. S. Schriver has just finished erecting a large machine shed.

The drought still continues, we need rain badly, for the dry springs and wells. Many persons have to carry water from a distance.

The public schools of Adams County are all closed for this week and will not re-open until Monday morning, December the 6th owing to the teachers attending Institute this week, how much will the teachers be benefited at the Institute.

Preaching next Sunday at 2 p. m. at Mt. Joy. J. F. S.

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provided by him had given them the help needed.

The exercises of this most successful institute concluded with a talk on the "Intellectual Life of the Teacher," by Dr. Miller. Prefacing his discussion of the topic as put down upon the program by congratulating the county upon its kind hearted, generous and efficient superintendent of schools. He then went on to speak of the faithfulness of the press, its reporters and editors, and said he wished to emphasize the fact that "The School Bulletin" last year contained the most accurate report of institute work of any report he had seen in the State.

The intellectual life of the teacher is important. The teacher should tell the children that the present controversy between Peary and Cook is not new, that Franklin had the same experience with Adams; Darwin with Edward Russel Wallace.

Dr. Miller thinks Peary should have taken a lesson from Wallace who yielded in a gentlemanly manner. The intelligent teacher makes use of every means, loves flowers, trees, stars.

In the matter of reading teachers have time for only the best books, those that will give them a broader view of humanity, such as "The Little Shepherd of the Hills," "The Crisis," or "Coniston." The heart power is greater than the intellect. To illustrate the influence of the heart he cited the example of Thos. Arnold, fourteen years at Rugby, Eliot thirty-five at Harvard, Angel thirty-seven at the University of Michigan, yet Arnold is the patron saint of English education because he fastened himself on the heart strings of the boys.

The concluding thought was the world gives back to you what you give the world, so give all the sunshine and assistance you can and it will come back to you.

Prof. Gibson closed the Institute with a few appropriate words. "Blessed be the Tie that Binds" was sung and Supt. Roth pronounced the convention adjourned sine die.

Co. Supt. H. Milton Roth shows great skill in the selection of instructors who gave not only much helpful information and many useful suggestions, but filled the minds and hearts of the teachers with enthusiasm for their work.

Gustave Hinkle —Martyr

By CAROLINE LOCKHART

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Gustave Hinkle intended to kill himself as soon as he had finished Albert Snow's dress clothes for the Eagles' ball. As he put uneven stitches in the satin lining of the coat which was to display the accursed figure of Snow at this long anticipated social function, the tailor's hands trembled and his palms grew moist with nervousness.

Gott! How he had longed to stab Albert Snow with the scissors and see his heart's blood spurt over the broad stripes of his pink and white shirt as Snow had stood to be measured for the only suit of evening clothes west of the county seat. But, instead, Hinkle had smiled faintly at his customer's broad humor, had pinned and snipped, and labored with infinite patience over the garments which might widen still further the crevice in his cracked hearthstone.

Hinkle had seen that which had convinced him that Snow and his—Hinkle's wife were madly in love with each other. He brooded over it as he stitched, and the conviction grew that the only way out, the only thing which remained for him to do, was to die by his own hand.

When he began to give the subject thought he was surprised at the variety of dramatic situations which could be evolved from a single demise. He worked out the details of one tableau after another with a ghastly zest which was shocking.

Should he be found cold and still, with a bit of sewing clutched in his stiffened fingers, a sad, sweet smile on his white face, that they might engrave on his marble tablet "Faithful Unto Death," or should he be found, a crumpled heap, near her chair in the millinery, the blood gushing from a hideous knife wound above the heart? He could take his six-shooter and go out and die on a wide-swept ridge, where the coyote would howl a requiem over his corpse. He could do one of many things which would horrify and excite the entire county and give him a funeral unsurpassed in the annals of the town. But the end which appealed to him most was a watery one—a grave in the Stinking Water—only half a mile from town. Dragging for his body would prolong the excitement, and the pathos of the scene when they grappled and found him, bringing him to the surface arrayed in his frock coat and pearl gray wedding trousers, brought tears to his eyes.

Hinkle's sufferings at the Eagles' ball were all he had anticipated. Curses on him! Snow danced like an angel, and as Hinkle's wife, in her spangled net leaned on Snow's Herford front, the whirling couple were the center of attraction.

From an obscure corner, Hinkle looked on with dumb suffering in his sheeplike eyes and composed the letter which he meant to leave on his wife's pincushion the following day.

Though hating Snow, he could perfectly understand his infatuation for Mrs. Hinkle. She looked so lovely, he thought, with that red rose hanging over her left ear, which decoration she had temporarily removed from a bonnet that was to go out next day.

If only, he moaned inwardly, she had not loved Snow in return! Then, he could have killed him and intrusted his life to the liberal minded and sympathetic juries of the state. But his wife's love for Snow altered everything. He had told her in the fervent long ago that he valued her happiness above his own life, and now that he was put to the test he must not fail.

Even Eagles' balls must end, and when Hinkle finally buttoned his wife into her plush dolman he looked far more jaded than she, who had not missed a dance.

He solemnly kissed her good night on the forehead, conscious that it was his last night on earth and that it was her last good night kiss from him. She scolded him sleepily for letting the lamp smoke, and he wondered if she would remember her harsh words—"nanny" was one of them—when he was gone.

They had eggs for breakfast, and she forgot to fry his eggs on both sides, as he liked them best. The reproach in his eyes was out of all proportion to its cause; but he knew what she did not, that those eggs, like his good night kiss, were his last.

His wife went first to open the shop, and he lingered to write the letter which was to explain all. It read:

My Dear, Dear Wife: When you get this you will be glad to hear that I am dead so you can marry that cheap skate Albert Snow. I know everything so I die! You love him. I saw you when you thought you was hid behind a hat. I love you better than my life so I drowned myself in the Stinking Water which is cold but not so cold as your heart. I give you everything but I ask one request which is, do not let Albert Snow wear my clothes. That I could not bear. If I do not come up you can drag for me about two hundred yards below the bridge. I have loved you always, nobody but you, and I die that you can marry that cheap skate Albert Snow. Your loving husband, GUSTAVE HINKLE.

Hinkle blotted the signature with a tear and attached the letter to his wife's cushion with an elk-tooth hat-pin—he had given it to her on her birthday. Then, having dressed in the clothes he had planned, he walked slowly through the rooms and bade them a silent good-by. In the arm, his eyes fell upon his trout rod. Simultaneously, almost, with his glance, a beautiful thought came to

him. What if he should catch a string of trout and leave them with her name upon them at the spot on the bank where he jumped in? Would she share them with Albert Snow? Surely this last pathetic act of devotion would soften her memory of him in after years. Besides, he loved to fish, and there was no reason why a man, even a man as good as dead, should not have a little sweetness in his cup of bitterness. So he put his trout flies in an inside pocket and started for the river.

He scurried through the alleys, dodging acquaintances, for the least observing would have thought it singular that Gustave Hinkle, at 8:30 in the morning, should array himself in a frock coat and pearl gray trousers and start fishing.

The stimulating air, and the mere act of hurrying, which, accurately, was more like skulking, gave him a better color than he had had in months. The blood flowed faster in his veins, and he was amazed to find that his chronically cold feet and hands were almost warm. His liver, sluggish from his sedentary life, stirred, and in spite of himself, with the feeling a person has when he laughs at a funeral, Hinkle felt himself growing cheerful.

The sun sparkled on the fast flowing river. Hinkle saw a shadow glide behind a rock, and his spirits rose like a thermometer in a chinook. His hands trembled with eagerness as he tied on "the professor," his favorite fly, and cast it with a skill which justified his pride in the throw.

A strike! Gott! What happiness! If only he could hook him! Once again. He was on! He had him! The beating of Hinkle's heart almost choked him. The water washed over his patent leather shoes and lapped at his wedding trousers as, in his excitement, he waded farther and farther into the river. What a fighter he was! How game! A whale in size! The slender pole bent as the trout played him, till it seemed it must snap under the strain. Hinkle's face grew alternately red and white at each rush. The line might break—the hook might break—the fish might tear loose! But while it lasted was there ever such ecstasy? He would be the talk of the community if only he could land that fish. Then, for one sickening second, he remembered that he was the same as dead. No matter. He would be a dead hero. So he played the trout with a desperate skill which would have immortalized him had there been witnesses. The trout's rushes grew shorter and less violent. He was tiring him out. Finally, while his heart seemed on the point of bursting with joy, he drew the fish slowly through the water and dragged him ashore—the biggest, the most beautiful Dolly Varden trout that ever had come out of a Wyoming stream!

Hinkle placed him tenderly on a rock and looked at him as he lay gasping in the sunshine. As he looked, his desire became a resolve. He wanted to show that trout to Lottie. With his own eyes he wished to behold her astonishment and delight. He yearned to lay it in her hands himself. Why need he die today, he asked himself. There was no reason why he should if he could get his clutches on that note before Lottie saw it. Besides, his taste of victory had aroused a pugnacious spirit within him. His determination to yield the field so meekly to Snow grew less firm. Why not make a struggle, at least, to regain his wife's love? If he failed, he could die any old time, and he could always kill Albert Snow.

Moved to action by his sudden resolve, he picked the fish up and started on a run for home. He must head Lottie off before she found that note. His trousers of ample cut, wet above the knees, slapped about his legs as he ran, and the water oozed through the eyelets of his trim patent leather shoes.

He was bounding over the sagebrush hummocks like an English hare hound when, raising his eyes, he saw a crowd bearing down upon him, led by his wife and the local editor, who had his pencil still behind his ear and was wearing a quilted, plum-colored smoking-jacket. Hinkle understood. She had read the note and had alarmed the town as she ran for the river.

The greater portion of the volunteer fire department was in the crowd. The mayor was there, and the coroner. Hinkle could not but feel flattered. He sat down on a hummock to pant and await the oncoming throng. He suddenly felt a certain smug satisfaction in himself. Not only had he learned the esteem in which he was held by his fellow citizens, but he was alive to witness it.

His wife threw herself into his arms and all but buried him backward.

"Oh, Gustave," she sobbed, "why did you do it?"

"I didn't do it," he grinned.

"Are you crazy?" demanded the mayor, who had stepped on a cactus.

"Not yet," replied Hinkle blissfully, as he folded his wife to his bosom.

"It's all a mistake," she continued. "I love you. I have had ambitions for you. I wanted to get you into politics, and Mr. Snow promised to help me. We are going to run you for councilman. It's only a stepping stone to congress. You have the support of all these people—your friends."

"Lottie, can you forgive me?" He was about to drop on his knees in the sand when she raised him to his feet. He stood up and slipped on the trout, which he had momentarily forgotten.

As he gathered it up and laid it in her hands he murmured tenderly: "I done it for you, dearest."

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

MARY C. WERT ESTATE.—Letters testamentary on estate of Mary C. Wert, late of the township of Tyrone, Adams county, Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, he hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment and those having claims to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

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EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE.

JAMES DEVINE ESTATE.—Letters testamentary on estate of James Devine, late of the Township of Conowingo, Adams County, Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, she hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment and those having claims to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

AGNES DEVINE,
Executrix,
Edge Grove.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

SARAH MARCH ESTATE.—Letters testamentary on estate of Sarah March, late of the township of Butler, Adams county, Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, he hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment and those having claims to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

GEORGE MECKLEY, EXR.,
Gettysburg, Pa., R. D. 7.

FOR SALE.—Small property of 8 acres within a half mile of Biglerville, improved with two-story frame house, good stable, fruit, apple, cherry, peach, etc. Well of water at the door. Can be bought on reasonable terms. My two additional places are for sale. Come and see me.

JACOB HEAGY,
Biglerville R. 3.

TAX APPEAL FOR 1910

The Commissioners of Adams county hereby give notice that they have fixed upon the following times and places for holding tax appeals for 1910 in the several boroughs and townships of Adams county, when and where they will appear to be heard, between the hours of 9 a. m. and 3 p. m. on each day as follows:

For the Township of Cumberland, on Wednesday, Dec. 1, 1909, Commissioners' Office.

For the 1st and 2nd wards, Gettysburg Borough, Thursday, Dec. 2, 1909, Commissioners' Office.

For the 3rd ward, Gettysburg, and Township of Freedom, Friday, Dec. 3, 1909, Commissioners' Office.

For the Townships of Hamiltonban, Liberty, Highland, and Fairfield Borough, Monday, Dec. 6, 1909, at the public house of Geo. Kehl, in Fairfield.

For the Township of Franklin and Arentsville Borough, on Wednesday, Dec. 8, 1909, at the Rock Top Hotel in Cashtown.

For the Township of Menallen and Bendersville, on Thursday, Dec. 9, 1909, at Public House of George Hoover in Bendersville.

For the Township of Butler and Biglerville Borough, on Friday, Dec. 10, 1909, at the Public House of Aaron Schlosser in Biglerville.

For the Townships of Germany and Union and the Borough of Littlestown, on Saturday, Dec. 11, 1909, at house of Geo. W. Brumgard in Littlestown.

For the Townships of Tyrone, Latimore, Huntingdon, and the Borough of York Springs, on Monday, Dec. 13, 1909, at the Union Hotel in McSherrytown.

For the Township of Hamilton and the Borough of East Berlin, on Wednesday, Dec. 15, 1909, at the Sunday House in East Berlin.

For the Township of Berwick and Berwick Borough, on Thursday, Dec. 16, 1909, at the Altitude House in Abbottstown.

For the Township of Conowingo and the 1st and 2nd wards of the Borough of McSherrytown, on Friday, Dec. 17, at the Union Hotel in McSherrytown.

For the Township of Oxford and the Borough of New Oxford, on Saturday, Dec. 18, 1909, at Hotel Oxford in New Oxford.

For the Township of Straban on Monday, Dec. 20, 1909, at the Public House of F. Mc Thomas in Hunterstown.

For the Township of Mountjoy, on Wednesday, Dec. 22, 1909, at the Election House at Two Taverns.

For the Township of Mountpleasant on Thursday, Dec. 23, 1909, at the Hotel in Bonneville, kept by John Wagner.

On the same date the County Commissioners of Adams county, the respective districts will meet to review the military rollment and determine who are exempt from military duty.

By order of the Commissioners,
S. M. LEE, Clerk.

The undersigned Board of Revision will attend at the various places of holding appeals to finally determine whether any of the valuations of the Assessors have been made in a just rate according to the Act of Assembly.

J. A. KANE,
Z. H. CASHMAN,
W. R. KIRKENT,
County Commissioners.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

CAULVIN P. KRISSE ESTATE.—Letters testamentary on estate of Calvin P. Kriss, late of the Borough of Gettysburg, Adams county, Pa., having been granted to the undersigned, he hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment and those having claims to present them properly authenticated for settlement.

J. L. BUTT,
Executor.

NOTICE

In the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County, Pennsylvania, April Term, 1909, No. 1, In Equity.

C. TAYLOR LELAND, a bondholder, stockholder and creditor of the Gettysburg Transit Company on behalf of himself and such other stockholders and creditors as may become parties hereto, Plaintiffs,

vs.

THE GETTYSBURG TRANSIT COMPANY, a corporation created by and existing under the laws of the State of Pennsylvania, and resident therein, and the West End Trust and Safe Deposit Company, a corporation created by and existing under the laws of the State of Pennsylvania, and resident therein, Defendants.

Notice is hereby given that the report of C. Taylor Leland, Receiver of the Gettysburg Transit Company, containing statement of the West End Trust and Safe Deposit Company (now the West End Trust Company), Trustee of the sale of the property, premises and franchises of the said Gettysburg Transit Company, and showing a distribution of the proceeds thereof, has been filed and confirmed nisi by the said Court, and that if no exceptions be filed in the meantime, the said sale and distribution will be confirmed absolutely on the 1st day of DECEMBER, 1909.

THE WEST END TRUST AND SAFE DEPOSIT COMPANY, now WEST END TRUST COMPANY, Trustee and Mortgagee.

ROBERT SPOONKASS, Nov. 6, 1909.
Wm. & Wm. ARCH. McCLEAN,
Solicitors for said Trustee.

Wheat Bran 1.50
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THE FIFTY FIFTH INSTITUTE

(Continued from page 3.)

A year later he is again forced to cross the Alps and at Austerlitz achieves a marvellous victory.

Two years have passed, the senate has declared the descent of the throne must be through a male heir. Then Napoleon makes the first mistake of his life. He divorces Josephine, and gives her a great palace in which to live. He then marries Marie, the daughter of his bitter enemy. This is very unpopular with the French, but Napoleon's object is to ally the houses of France and Austria. One year later he presents to the senate a son under the title of the "King of Rome."

When misfortune overshadows Napoleon Marie leaves him and goes to her father where the boy is reared and not until his twelfth year does he hear of his father or what his own name is. The son dies about the same time his father is ending his days on the island of St. Helena.

When Napoleon was learning French for as a Corsican, he did not know the language, in his copy book was this line, "St. Helena is a little island."

After his death his remains were brought to Paris and buried with great pomp and ceremony on the banks of the Seine.

Thursday Evening.

The Entertainment presented by the Vassar Girls was the big hit of the week. The eight Vassar girls are accomplished musicians, not only with saxophones and the brass instruments, cornets and trombones, but also with wood wind, flute, clarinets, oboe and bassoon. They could sing and whistle and altogether was one of the finest musical entertainment that has ever come to town.

Friday Morning.

The sun shone brightly this morning as it has all week, and the last session opened at 9 o'clock with many eager teachers present.

Devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. Stanley Billheimer of York Springs, who read the 19th Psalm and offered prayer.

Supt. Roth made several announcements: The meeting of primary teachers will convene at Biglerville Feb. 5. The principals will hold their meeting in Gettysburg on Jan. 15. An educational rally will be held in Fairfield Jan. 8. Teachers are strongly urged to attend these meetings and to take part in the discussions.

This week all the teachers of the county, 209 in number, have attended the institute. The Supt. added that he would be in his office during the afternoon from 1.30 to 4.00.

The several committees being called on for their reports submitted the following which were accepted and the committees excused.

Memorial Resolutions.

Whereas, It has pleased the all-wise Teacher to remove from our ranks our fellow teacher and co-worker, Miss Ida E. Sheads, and while we bow in humble submission to Him whose wisdom is infallible, we feel that our loss may be her eternal gain. Therefore, be it

Resolved, That we cherish in our memories the virtues of the deceased.

TRUTHFUL REPORTS.

Gettysburg Reads Them With Uncommon Interest.

A Gettysburg citizen tells his experience in the following statement. No better evidence than this can be had.

The truthful reports of friends and neighbors is the best proof in the world. Read and be convinced.

Penrose Myers, 12 Baltimore street, Gettysburg, Pa., says: "I have to be on my feet a great deal of the time and this served to weaken my kidneys. A constant pain across my back, caused me much misery and at times was so acute that I could hardly stoop. I also had trouble from rheumatism, at times being very lame and stiff, especially in the morning. I was feeling quite miserable when my attention was drawn to Doan's Kidney Pills and I procured a box at the People's drug store. They effected a complete cure and I am today without a sign of kidney trouble."

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HELEN L. COPE
BERTIE MORETTE
C. E. TAWNEY
Committee.

The Supt. commended upon the resolutions saying he did not take to himself the credit of the success of the Institute, that that was due the teachers who had contributed so faithfully by their strict attendance and attention. He reminded the teachers that museums could be obtained for the asking, also lantern slides for educational meetings of any kind.

In a brief address Dr. S. G. Hefelbower gave the teachers many beautiful thoughts to carry away with them.

The college president and the public school teacher are engaged in the same work, only in different rooms of the great factory whose aim is the molding of citizens that measure up to the demands of civilization. Towards this end the church and school should work together. The address was a beautiful and earnest appeal for moral training. Pestalozzi, Spencer, Dante, Milton and Kepler were quoted to substantiate the statement that power is danger unless properly directed. If the teacher does not hold up correct and true ideals, and lead children to respect what is right, noble and true he is a failure. The importance of personal contact between the individual teacher and the individual pupil was mentioned. The amount of moral instruction given depends upon the individual teacher hence the greater responsibility. To fall short here is to fail in responsibility to future generations.

Prof. Roth in his habitual urbane manner thanked the teachers for their courtesy and trusted the instructors

Resolved, That we extend to the bereaved friends our sympathy in this their deep sorrow and commend them to the One who can comfort them in this their sorrow and further to it.

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R. K. STULTZ
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Reading Course.

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Superintendent's Report.

Office of County Superintendent, Gettysburg, Pa., Dec. 21, 1908.

Account of Supt. H. Milton Roth, Treasurer with Adams County Teachers' Institute, Nov. 16-20, 1908.

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The exercises of this most successful institute concluded with a talk on the "Intellectual Life of the Teacher," by Dr. Miller. Prefacing his discussion of the topic as put down upon the program by congratulating the county upon its kind hearted, generous and eminent superintendent of schools. He then went on to speak of the faithfulness of the press, its reporters and editors, and said he wished to emphasize the fact that "The School Bulletin" last year contained the most accurate report of institute work of any report he had seen in the State.

The intellectual life of the teacher is important. The teacher should tell the children that the present controversy between Peary and Cook is not new, that Franklin had the same experience with Adams; Darwin with Edward Russell Wallace.

Dr. Miller thinks Peary should have taken a lesson from Wallace who yielded in a gentlemanly manner. The intelligent teacher makes use of every means, loves flowers, trees, stars.

In the matter of reading teachers have time for only the best books, those that will give them a broader view of humanity, such as "The Little Shepherd of the Hills," "The Crisis," or "Coniston." The heart power is greater than the intellect. To illustrate the influence of the heart he cited the example of Thos. Arnold, fourteen years at Rugby, Eliot thirty-seven at Harvard, Angel thirty-seven at the University of Michigan, yet Arnold is the patron saint of English education because he fastened himself on the heart strings of the boys.

The concluding thought was the world gives back to you what you give the world, so give all the sunshine and assistance you can and it will come back to you.

Prof. Gibson closed the institute with a few appropriate words. "Blessed be the Tie that Binds" was sung and Supt. Roth pronounced the convention adjourned sine die.

Co. Supt. H. Milton Roth shows great skill in the selection of instructors who gave not only much helpful information and many useful suggestions, but filled the minds and hearts of the teachers with enthusiasm for their work.

The Christmas Dinner.

In spite of the fact that the word dyspepsia means literally bad cook, it will not be fair for many to lay the blame on the cook if they begin the Christmas Dinner with little appetite and end it with distress or nausea. It may not be fair for any to do that—let us hope so for the sake of the cook! The disease dyspepsia indicates a bad stomach, that is a weak stomach, rather than a bad cook, and for a weak stomach there is nothing else equal to Hood's Sarsaparilla. It gives the stomach vigor and tone, cures dyspepsia, creates appetite, and makes eating the pleasure it should be.

WHAT is a cold in the head? Nothing to worry about if you treat it with Ely's Cream Balm. Neglected, the cold may grow into catarrh, and the air-passages be so inflamed that you have to fight for every breath. It is true that Ely's Cream Balm masters catarrh, promptly. But you know the old saying about the ounce of prevention. Therefore use Cream Balm when the cold in the head shows itself. All druggists, 50c., or mailed by Ely Bros., 56 Warren St., New York.

YOUNG GIRL INJURED

BARLOW, Nov. 29th.—Bessie Kelly met with an accident last Friday evening that came near costing her life. She came in the stable and stood against the wall, back of the horse her father was bridling, when the animal ran back with full force plunging her to the wall. Dr. Diehl was summoned and after examination found the pelvic bone broken from the backbone. She is now confined to her bed doing as well as can be expected.

On Tuesday evening, Nov. 23rd, a number of friends gave a surprise party, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob E. Sharetts to celebrate Mrs. Sharetts birthday. The evening was spent in various ways. We were invited to a table laden with cakes, oranges, ice cream, etc., and at an appropriate hour all returned home. Those present were: Jacob E. Sharetts and wife, A. Truman Luckenbaugh and family, Samuel O. Wikert and family, E. H. Benner and wife, Misses Elsie Smith, Ida Haley, Ruth Trostel, Dortha Sharetts, Messrs. Mervin Benner, Charles McKinney, Paul Reaver, O. B. Sharetts and family and your correspondent and wife.

Jacob E. Sharetts has improved the premises occupied by A. Truman Luckenbaugh, by putting a new roof on the house. Howard Maring contractor.

Mrs. Effenger Lucas and children of York, are spending a few days at the home of Mrs. Lucas parents, Wm. H. Cromer.

S. S. Schriver has just finished erecting a large machine shed.

The drought still continues, we need rain badly, for the dry springs and wells. Many persons have to carry water from a distance.

The public schools of Adams County are all closed for this week and will not re-open until Monday morning, December the 6th owing to the teachers attending Institute this week, how much will the teachers be benefited at the Institute.

Preaching next Sunday at 2 p. m. at Mt. Joy. J. F. S.

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Table and House Linens

There's a thing that will fit into either the Housekeeper's ideas or the prospective housekeeper's box—you cannot go wrong for either. We are showing all sorts of Fancy Linen Pieces, in Scarfs, Squares and Table Tops, Embroidered and Trimmed.

Fancy Damask and Huck Towels—all grades.

Table Damasks

A special quality 60 inches Mercerized—has the appearance of finest linen and usually sell at 60 and 65 cts.

Our Special Price 50c.—with Napkins to match at \$1.40 & \$1.50

Special—

72 in. Table Damasks 85c.—regular \$1 grade.

8 Patterns 72 in. Damask at \$1—Napkins to match, \$3 per doz.

Damasks at \$1.25 & \$1.50 per yard with Napkins to match.

Sweater Coats

Anyone not having a Sweater will be pleased to receive one of ours as a Christmas Gift. Warm as toast and yet not uncomfortably bulky—they fit.

Men's Sweaters

At \$1.00, that sell at some stores we know at \$1.50. Men's Sweaters at \$2.00, \$3.00 up to \$4.00. Every one of which you would likely pay more for elsewhere.

Ladies Sweaters

Shaped to the body, all wool. Exceptional values at \$2.00, \$2.75 and \$3.50.

Children's Sweaters

Sweaters for tots and older ones. In beautiful fine wools, at 75 cts. \$1.00 to \$1.50.

Grandpa or Father might like a Cardigan Jacket preferably. We are ready to supply that demand at a saving from the usual.

Head Scarfs

Mousseline and Chiffon, a very popular article of head wear, especially for evening use. Every woman would like to own one, and you cannot go far wrong if you make it a scarf, even though she should already have one—choose another color.

Prices range from 50c (a better and larger Scarf than the usual 50c kind) to \$5. with every between price.

Hand and Toilet Mirrors

A thing few people like to buy for themselves, and yet appreciate highly when owned—because so useful. A great assortment shown here now, bought direct from the Goehring Mfg. Co., who make more Hand Mirrors than any factory in the United States, because they make them truer and better. All sizes, round oblong, square.

Priced at \$1 to \$1.65. A number of between prices.

Coats, Suits, Waists, Skirts, Rain Coats

Should you decide that a Ready Made Garment is the right thing—as it certainly will be in this day of busy dressmakers—and besides it is nice to have it ready to wear during the Holidays. If a Suit, choice a little less now than earlier—so is the price. The style is as good as any shown this season.

Cost \$12 up to \$30 with a great many between prices.

Coats

A few of those elegant Silk Plush and Caracol Coats—quality guaranteed and price less than same quality can be made to sell today.

Top Coats

In Black Broad Cloth. Tweeds, Coverts and Korseys. \$5 to \$25

A Silk Petticoat

Will please. A new line of Black Taffeta Skirts just to hand. Price begins at \$2.90.

Special value at \$9.

Rain Coats—Kearneys—

Nothing more useful for general purposes. Nothing more dressy. \$8.00, \$10.00 to \$12.50.

Separate Skirts, Separate Waists—Silk and Wool—Tailored—great variety.

Tourist Cases—Neat Folding

Lined with oil cloth sheeting—to hold wash rag, soap, brushes, &c.—a very useful article for the traveling bag and suit case. Pretty coverings, various sizes.

25, 50 up to \$3.

Dress Goods

Many a woman would like a new dress or dress skirt at this time—but there are many others to be dressed—especially is this the case with many mothers; so why not make it a dress pattern of some kind.

Make your selection from the largest stock, and where they sell most—that is us. Any amount you wish the present to cost, be it little or much—we can give you the best there is for the money.

SHOP EARLY

Boxed Suspenders

A man likes a pair of "Galluses" on every pair of trousers. These are the same kinds he would buy for himself—except that they are put up in fancy boxes for gift purposes. They cost just the same as at other times of the year—25 and 50 cts.

Men's Hosiery

A nice gift for the son or husband. Fancy, brilliant Lisle and Silk Lisle—in great variety of colors as well as black, 19, 25 and 50 cts.

Hosiery for men at 10, 12 1-2 Special.

Biliken Novelties

Cigar Ash Trays, Paper Cutters, Tape Measure Holders, Ink Wells, Vases, and many other things. "The God of things as they ought to be"—The Good Luck Gift—funny little chap that will make you laugh in spite of yourself.

Any price—25c to \$1.

Handkerchiefs

Of course there are Handkerchiefs—which always fit if nothing else can be thought of—and more than half of the Handkerchief business of any store is done at the Holiday time. We began preparations for this business months ago, because our Handkerchief business is out of the ordinary. If you want to give Handkerchiefs, you want to give the best that you can get for the money—therefore, do not buy "just any old place"—but come to see us—or write us—if you cannot come—we will have what you want and at a reasonable price, too.

Plain H. S. Linen

For men or women from 5c up to 50c., and the very best possible to get anywhere for the price.

Embroidered H. S. in Linen or Swiss

Dainty and sweet as they can be—from 10 cts. to \$1.00 a piece.

Duchess Lace Edge

Linen centers—50 cts. to \$1.00

Men's Christmas Handkerchiefs

Plain Linen H. S. and Cotton Initials and Fancy Borders—also extra large size Linen Handkerchiefs—in fact every kind and quality—at less price than elsewhere, because they were bought direct from Importer or Maker.

Children's Xmas Handkerchiefs

In pretty boxes if you wish or singly, bordered or pictured—very greatest variety.

Silk Handkerchiefs

Plain Jap or Initial Jap—Bandannas and Brocades.

All Handkerchiefs boxed in a Christmas box, at a small additional cost.

Fancy Goods

Silk Covered Hat Pin, Hair Pin, and other holders of small things different and more beautiful than anything else of the same character. They hang on the side of the dresser or bureau—Some have thermometers on them.

They cost only 25c.

Gloves

"My Ladie Gloves." Almost every lady will appreciate and be pleased with a pair of our kid Gloves, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$1.85—any color and size. Don't know the size—eh?—Guess at it we'll exchange them after Christmas.

Ladies' and Children's Cape—1 Clasp Glove

Very stylish and excellent wear, \$1.00.

Ladies' Gauntlets

Tan and Black, \$1.00, the \$1.25 kind.

Ladies' Mocha Gloves

Lined, dressy for riding, driving or the street, \$1.50.

Ladies' Chamoisee Gloves, \$1.00.

Ladies' Chamols Gloves - \$1.00

Fabric Gloves

The new fabric that looks like Mocha leather, lined with doe skin colored lining—a glove that fits like a kid and wears like it—25 and 50 cts.

Golf Gloves, Silk Gloves, Knit Mts. &c. in great assortment.

Every pair boxed at a small additional cost in a neat fancy Christmas box.

Christmas Jewelry.

Jewelry at Dry Goods Store prices—Brooches, 25 and 50 cts. Belt Buckles and Pins 25 and 50 cts. to \$1.00. Hat Pins 5, 10 to 25 cts. Veil Pins 5, 10 to 25 cts. Beauty Pins, Link Cuff Buttons, Rings, 25 and 50 cts., and many other beautiful articles that look better and will wear better than the price.

Acorn Brand Shirts

What about a Shirt for a gift? If you get it from us it will cost you either 50 cts. or \$1.00. Have you ever heard of a shirt on a bean pole? The saying has reference to the fit: ours are not that kind—they fit and set right, and are as large proportionately as the collar size—no matter whether you pay 50 cts. or \$1.00. Then, too, the materials are the kinds you often find in other makes at a much higher price. If you decide on a shirt—see us—we will please him and you.

Neck Ties

Neck Ties—if right in shape and pattern—are something like handkerchiefs—he can't get too many of them; that is a reason why so many are used for gifts. We believe that we sell a better Tie in quality, right up to the minute in style, for 25 cts. and 50 cts. than any other store in Gettysburg. We only keep two qualities, but a great many of each, all 50 ct. Ties boxed in fancy boxes

Black Silk Folded Mufflers

Especially useful to protect the collar, besides giving warmth, \$1.00 to \$1.50.

Hosiery

Makes a useful and very acceptable gift to anyone in the family—and past experience has warranted us in the stocking up in an unusual way for demands for gift giving. Hosiery for all sizes of people in every grade.

Ladies' Black Silk Hose at \$1.

Ladies' Black and Colored Silk Hose 35c.—the regular 50c kind.

Ladies' Lisle Hose—Onyx brand at 25c.—the usual 3 for a dollar kind.

All the above—if bought in \$1.00 quantity—put in an Xmas Box.

100 Doz. of "Ace of Spades" brand Rib Hose.

Sizes from 6 to 10. The kind we always sold for 2 for 25 cts.—just received—and which will be all we can get to sell at this price—unless the price at the mill lowers. We paid an advance on this lot.

Come—and expect extra value in any kind of stocking you want—be it for Father, Brother, Sister, Wife or Mother.

SHOP EARLY

Wool Filled Comforts

For "hubby"—give one to your wife—it will please her all right. Filled with Sanitary Lamb's Wool Fleece—3 or 4 lbs. The warmest as well as the nicest bed clothing you can get. Silk-aline covered—3 lb. weight \$2.75—Cotton Bunting covered 3 lb. weight \$2.50—1 lb. weight \$3.40.

Down Filled—Sateen Covered

Full size—\$5.00 and \$6.00. They are beautiful and are a source of pride to have rolled up on the spare bed—or wonderfully comfortable to draw up on a cold night.

Carpet Department

Is full of useful and beautiful articles for Christmas Gifts, from a rich 9 x 12 Wilton Rug at \$55.00 to a small Mat at \$1.00. Room size Rugs from \$10.00 up.

Great Variety

Of Small Rugs, Linoleum Mats, Door Mats, Sweepers, &c., or

What about a Pair of

Portieres, Couch Cover, Table Cover, or several pairs of Lace Curtains?

The variety is so great that no matter what your mind suggests, we will likely have it at the price you desire to pay.

Men's Gloves

Just the thing if you get the right kind. See us. We name a few of the most popular and nicest for use and gift purposes.

Grey genuine Mocha, silk lined, \$1.50.

Grey or Tan Mocha, heavy lined, \$1.00, \$1.25. An elegant warm driving glove.

Tan Cape, unlined, a sporty glove for the young fellow. They can lose them but they don't wear out. Our price \$1.25. They'll cost \$1.50 elsewhere.

Wool Gloves, Working Gloves, Boys' Gloves.

Gift Umbrellas

Gift Umbrellas are different—different—different—something different—and we have hundreds of them and have bought and chosen especially for style handles for men, we desire to pay from 50 cts. to and every one a beauty in his

Colored Silk Umbrellas—Suit Cases

(Handles disappear) and her of the family. Price the note the difference in price here.

At \$1, \$2 and \$3—Special values by comparing with our own previous showings.

Holiday I

we have them from \$2.00 to \$6.00

Pocket Knives for the boys. D

ut of our stock. Safety Razors

ewell from 25c. to \$1.00.

Department you will find a

ing. All new goods.

Cotton Fleece Comforts

If you do not want to pay the price for wool, fleece or down—try one of our Cotton Fleece Comforts, Sateen covered and almost as light and warm as wool or down—only they cost less—\$1.00, \$1.25 up to \$2.50.

Blankets

Is there any housekeeper in the land who will not be glad to get a pair of Wool Blankets from you. Our line is so large—bought direct from the mill—that we are able to save the purchaser anywhere from a \$1.00 to a \$2.50. White, Gray, Scarlet or Plaid—in luxurious qualities—of real beauty—at the price of the ordinary.